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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335)

FROM : SAC, MEMPHIS (56-82)

SUBJECT: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, Jr.;
ET AL
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OO: ME

Re Memphis telephone call to Bureau this date.

Enclosed herewith is original and three copies of letterhead memoranda concerning the securing by this office of the circular which contains two photographs and the caption "This is a reprint of photographs appearing in the Nashville Banner," and the cardboard door-knob type circular with the caption on one side, "Tenn for Tip, Tip for Tenn." and on the other side, "Vote Tip Taylor."

Five copies of each of the above two circulars are enclosed herewith.

This office is conducting no investigation concerning above mentioned items. It is recommended that they be referred to the department.

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1cc: AAG Civil Rights Division of each end.
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1 cc: CIVIL RIGHTS UNIT Jack memo forst end.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Memphis, Tennessee
July 29, 1960

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

RE: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, Jr.; WILLIAM NATHAN MATHIS; WILLIAM ALLEN AUSBAN; BENJAMIN W. SHARPE; HOWARD K. TAYLOE; LELAND CONNALLY DERRICK; VERNEY W. SEEBODE; EDWARD N. PARKES, Sr.; [redacted]; JOHN DOUGLAS; ALBERT HATCHETT; BARNEY O. LOFTON, Sr. [redacted]

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ELECTION LAWS

On the evening of July 28, 1960, Dr. ROSS PRITCHARD, Shelby County, Tennessee, campaign manager for Senator ESTES KEFAUVER, telephonically advised an agent of the Memphis Office of the FBI that he had just received word from BOB HAWKES, Chairman of Ward Precincts, Kefauver campaign headquarters, Shelby County, Tennessee, that the Kefauver headquarters had come into possession of one copy of an unlabeled circular concerning Senator Kefauver's campaign, which they believed emanated from the headquarters of Senator Kefauver's opponent, Judge ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR.

Dr. PRITCHARD stated that his information was that two photographs appeared on this circular involving Senator KEFAUVER. He said they had received information that 1,000,000 copies of this circular were being prepared by RODNEY BABER PRINTING COMPANY of Memphis, Tennessee, and it was expected that they would be circulated in the near future. Dr. PRITCHARD said that he was very anxious for the FBI to take any action possible to stop the circulation of this type of literature. It was explained to Dr. PRITCHARD that the FBI could not take any action in the nature of stopping the distribution of political literature. Dr. PRITCHARD requested that Mr. HAWKES be contacted for full details.

On July 28, 1960, Mr. BOB HAWKES was contacted by agents of the FBI, Memphis, at KEFAUVER headquarters. He furnished agents with a copy of the circular in question, which

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contains at the top printing, "This is a reprint of photographs appearing in the Nashville Banner--".

Mr. HAWKES stated that GEORGE W. BLOOD, a KEFAUVER precinct leader, was in a restaurant in Memphis and happened to see an individual display this circular to a waitress. This individual, identity unknown, thereupon reportedly told BLOOD that [redacted] Mr. HAWKES stated that it is believed that the copy furnished agents was the only one which at that time had left the Rodney Baber Printing Company.

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Mr. HAWKES stated [redacted] He said, however, this was strictly speculation on his part for which he has no foundation in fact. Mr. HAWKES stated that the KEFAUVER headquarters are very anxious that action be taken to prevent this material from being distributed if possible.

It was explained to Mr. HAWKES ~~that the FBI had no authority to prevent anyone~~ from distributing political literature.

At this time Mr. HAWKES also furnished a number of copies of a circular captioned on one side, "Ten for Tip, Tip for Tenn." and on the other side, material below the printing "Vote Tip Taylor."

According to HAWKES, Miss ELISE ROUTON of KEFAUVER headquarters secured a number of these circulars from TAYLOR headquarters in Memphis.

On July 28, 1960, Miss ELISE ROUTON was questioned at KEFAUVER headquarters by Memphis FBI Agents. She advised that on that date she went to the Shelby County headquarters of candidate ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR and by pretext secured a supply of this material.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

TEN ENCLOSURES TO BUREAU FROM MEMPHIS

BU FILE 56-2335
ME FILE 56-82

RE: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.;
ET AL
EL
OO: ME

FIVE COPIES OF CIRCULAR CAPTIONED "THIS IS A REPRINT OF PHOTOGRAPHS APPEARING IN THE NASHVILLE BANNER"

FIVE COPIES OF CIRCULAR ENTITLED "TEN FOR TIP, TIP FOR TENN.," ON OTHER SIDE "VOTE TIP TAYLOR"

1 copy of each forwarded to LR for use of HSA, LR by Bureau tel 10-31-60.

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THIS IS A REPRINT OF PHOTOGRAPHS
APPEARING IN THE NASHVILLE BANNER --

At Kefauver Fund Party

Mrs Estes Kefauver, Senator Kefauver, F. Joseph (Jiggs) Donohue and Mr. and Mrs. William Burkhalter talk over the Tennessee political situation during a fund raising party in Washington for Kefauver's renomination campaign. Donohue headed Kefauver's ill-fated campaign for the 1956 Democratic presidential nomination. Burkhalter is formerly of McKenzie.

- Photos by Ken

Among Kefauver's well-wishers and contributors at Sunday's Mayflower Hotel get-together were Paul Cunningham of New York, executive director of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP); Dolly and Simuel McClennon, formerly of Memphis, and Milton Kronheim, a Washington liquor wholesaler.

Mr. Kefauver brags about his support by Northern Liberals but we haven't heard him mention these supporters pictured above or the support of the N.A.A.C.P.

TEN FOR TIP,

TIP FOR TENN.

Will You Please Get Ten People To Vote For Tip Taylor

★ **TVA**—Needs more votes in the Congress of the United States. I shall strive to reverse the present trend against TVA. An adequate supply of electrical energy is vital to Tennessee.

★ **FARMERS**—Farmers and farm organizations know their problems best. They will find me on the job, always ready and willing to work for them.

★ **SOCIAL SECURITY**—I shall support this humane program, with the goal of extending its coverage while protecting the purchasing power of its dollar-benefits to the end that our aged, crippled, blind and needy people may have the full value of what they expected.

★ **VETERANS**—I am an overseas veteran and a Guardsman. I am for the veterans and their families 100%.

★ **LABOR**—I am a friend of labor, organized and unorganized. My father was a member of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. The working man should receive his fair share of the industrial income.

★ **HIGHWAYS AND AIRPORTS**—This aid must continue. Both are military necessities and arteries of commerce.

★ **FOREIGN AID**—Many tax dollars are being wasted through extravagance. The money saved here could be used for our people at home. This program needs a thorough housecleaning.

★ **TAXES**—We should have a reduction—not an increase—in taxes. With sound judgment we can have a reduction without depriving ourselves.

★ **MILITARY**—Peace is our supreme goal. Only through strength can we attain it.

★ **DRUG COSTS**—The cost of drugs for our ill and aged can be, and should be, reduced but within the terms of our free enterprise system.

★ **FEDERAL AID**—My vote will always be governed by the **needs of the people of Tennessee.**

★ **HOUSING**—The FHA program will be, and should be, continued.

★ **EDUCATION**—I am opposed to Federal Control of what is taught in our schools. There are areas in which Federal assistance is warranted, especially in the field of science and technology.

★ **FOREIGN GOODS**—Tennessee industries and the Tennessee working people should be protected by legislation from cut-throat foreign competition.

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PLEASE READ **DIRECTIONS** PLEASE READ

1. Hang this card on inside front door knob as a reminder to vote August 4.
2. Keep card, drawing will be held Wednesday night before election day and winning number will be posted in the Commercial Appeal on August 4th.
3. Person holding card with winning number will have 48 hours to call, BR 6-3236.

MOTHER

Will you pledge?

"My Family Will Vote"

You as a modern Mother have the opportunity to elect competent public officials. You realize the direct effect upon your family.

To Reward A Job Well Done
The type of Government you want
for your family, ***plus***

One ~~Taylor~~ Tailor—Made Suit
plus
5,000 Quality Stamps

$100.00 VALUE—LADIES SUIT

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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TO : Mr. Rosen

DATE: 7/29/60

FROM : C. L. McGowan

Time of call: 10:08 a.m.

SUBJECT: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., et al.
ELECTION LAWS

SAC Marlin Johnson, Memphis, called to advise that on the evening of 7/28/60, Memphis Office had received a telephone call from Ross Pritchard, Shelby County, Tennessee, campaign manager for Senator Kefauver. Mr. Pritchard referred Memphis Agents to Robert Hawkes, the Shelby County precinct chairman for Senator Kefauver's campaign. Hawkes turned over to the Memphis Agents one copy of a "Vote for Taylor" card which was not identified as to source and which advocated the candidacy of Tip Taylor for the U. S. Senate seat. In addition, Mr. Hawkes turned over one copy of a throwaway which is unidentified as to source and which contains two photographs. One of the photographs shows Senator Kefauver in a group of five white individuals, one of whom is F. Joseph Donahue (probably of Washington, D. C.); the other is of several Negroes and whites together. The throwaway indicates that Senator Kefauver has associated with northern liberals and National Association for the Advancement of Colored People members in the past, but that he would rather keep such associations quiet at the present time.

Ross Pritchard, referred to above, advised that the above-mentioned throwaway had been obtained from an unidentified individual in a restaurant in Memphis [redacted] Mr. Pritchard requested that our Memphis Office take action to prevent the printing of the one million copies of the throwaway. Mr. Pritchard was politely advised that such action could not be taken by our Memphis Office.

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SAC Johnson advised that a letterhead memorandum is being prepared and will be forwarded Airmail, Special Delivery, this morning together with copies of the above-mentioned throwaway and card in order that the information furnished may be presented to the Civil Rights Division for its consideration. No investigation will be conducted concerning the information furnished by Messrs. Pritchard and Hawkes in the absence of a specific request by the Department.

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Memorandum to Mr. Rosen
Re: Richard Jackson Burrow, Jr., et al.
Election Laws

ACTION TO BE TAKEN

The letterhead memorandum and copies of the throwaway and card will be immediately forwarded to the Civil Rights Division upon receipt for its consideration.

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FBI

Date: 7/14/60

Transmit the following in PLAIN TEXT
(Type in plain text or code)

Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS F. O.

TITLE: STATUS OF ELECTION LAWS SPECIALS, MEMPHIS DIVISION

Set forth hereafter for Bureau's information is a brief repapitulation of three Election Laws cases pending in this division, captioned as follows:

UNSUBS; Alleged Denial of Right to Register and Vote, Haywood County, Tenn., CURRIE PORTER BOYD, aka., ET AL - VICTIMS; CIVIL RIGHTS; ELECTION LAWS; Bufile 44-13410, Memphis File 56-67;

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UNSUBS; Alleged Irregularities, Fayette County, Tenn., Election, 8/1/59; ELECTION LAWS; CIVIL RIGHTS; Bufile 56-2237, Memphis 56-77;

Unlabeled Literature Against Senator KEFAUVER; Estes ELECTION LAWS; no Bureau file number, Memphis 56-82.

The above cases are being handled by special squads in the Memphis Division under the personal supervision of the SAC.

By airtel dated 6/30/60, received Memphis 7/1/60, Bureau instructed that full investigation be conducted in case captioned, "Unlabeled Literature Against Senator KEFAUVER; ELECTION LAWS." This case necessitated extensive file reviews in an effort to establish the identity of possible suspects,

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particularly those individuals associated with the klan and hate group activities in this area. These file reviews have now been completed and appropriate leads set out. As of Noon today, 78 interviews have been conducted. The results of the investigation to date have been dictated and a pending report will be mailed from this office no later than 7/15/60. We estimate that we have approximately 100 interviews to conduct yet in this case in order to complete all facets of this investigation. It is entirely possible that it will be necessary to conduct surveys of printing establishments and other related business establishments, however, 100 planned interviews is the best estimate we can give at this time. Our investigation to date has established the following major developments:

[redacted] West Memphis, Arkansas, has been developed as an excellent suspect based on confidential b6 information indicating that he has in his home a Model 1200 b7C Multilith machine, 3 typewriters, and numerous political brochures and pamphlets indicating the printing of propaganda. WILLIAM NATHAN MATHIS, Milan, Tenn., printer, in signed statement has admitted printing 2,000 circulars headed, "The Record and Statements of Senator Estes Kefauver." He stated these were printed upon request and upon receipt of payment from RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., a prominent Milan, Tenn. merchant, who is extremely hostile toward KEFAUVER. BURROW admitted having MATHIS print above material and arranging for its distribution, however, claims did not send it through the mail. He claims that he was not aware of laws affecting distribution of political material. States cannot furnish original source of his material as about two months ago received unsigned copy of campaign literature in U. S. Mails, believed to be from Nashville, Tenn. WILLIAM ALLEN AUSBON, Ausbon Letter Shop, Jackson, Tenn., admitted that he printed approximately 2,000 unsigned circulars which were headed, "The Record and Statements of Senator Estes Kefauver." Claimed this material copied by him from report by the United Daughters of the Confederacy of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and received by him three or four years ago through the mail. Other logical suspects developed based on similar appearing anti-Kefauver literature appearing in klan-type publications currently being distributed in this area. Investigation to date indicates possibility of several unrelated sources of this material who are anti-Kefauver but not necessarily pro-Judge ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR, who is KEFAUVER's opponent in senatorial race. Investigation continuing. Due to extensive investigation in this case

and other specials this office, physically impossible to meet Bureau deadline and it is anticipated that with present manpower, at least two additional weeks will be necessary to complete investigation.

By letter dated 7/6/60, Bureau instructed full field investigation be conducted in case captioned, "Alleged Denial of Right to Register and Vote, Haywood County, Tenn.; CURRIE PORTER BOYD, Aka; ET AL - VICTIMS; CIVIL RIGHTS; ELECTION LAWS." This case also necessitated voluminous file reviews to identify the allegations and the individuals mentioned in previous communications who would have to be interviewed in the full field investigation. These file reviews have now been completed. Forty-six interviews have been completed and 190 interviews are scheduled. Approximately 90 per cent of the interviews conducted were with Negroes which necessitated considerable time in locating them, as they were employed in cotton fields and other such employment. The interviews were lengthy as they had to be interviewed in detail concerning their experiences in registering and with regard to economic pressure. The 190 interviews planned do not take into consideration the additional leads that undoubtedly will develop as result of interviews conducted or contemplated. The information developed in this current investigation is similar to that previously reported, however, a list of names of Negroes in Districts 2 and 3 in Haywood County was found by an employee of a dry cleaning establishment in Brownsville, Tenn., and has been secured. With present manpower available, it appears physically impossible to meet Bureau deadline, however, pending report will be mailed by this office on or about 7/21/60. I anticipate that at least 3 weeks will be necessary to complete this investigation.

By Airtel dated 7/6/60, Bureau instructed full field investigation in case captioned, "UNKNOWN SUBJECTS, Fayette County, Tenn., Election, 8/1/59; ELECTION LAWS; CIVIL RIGHTS," Bufile 56-2237. This case also necessitated lengthy file reviews to identify allegations and individuals requiring investigative attention in this full field investigation. These file reviews have now been completed. As of Noon, 7/14/60, 36 interviews had been completed. We have 231 additional individuals identified who will have to be interviewed and this figure does not take into consideration additional leads that will undoubtedly develop as a result of interviews conducted. The above interviews include contact with approximately 30 concerns and may necessitate interviewing several

individuals in each concern, which factor will, of course, increase the number of interviews we will have to conduct. Many of the above interviews have been lengthy. One lengthy interview alone resulted in the identification of 14 additional individuals who will be interviewed. It is felt that these 36 interviews have been greater in length than those we will conduct in the future, based on the fact that we have been interviewing those white individuals who had previously indicated their willingness to furnish information. Similar information to that already obtained and reported has resulted from our current interviews, however, in addition, we have obtained more specific information alleging the existence of possible "committees" who have allegedly been meeting for the purpose of enforcing economic pressure against those individuals who have been encouraging the Negroes to register to vote. With present manpower it appears physically impossible to meet Bureau deadline, however, a pending report will be submitted by this office no later than 7/21/60. It is anticipated that this investigation will take at least another three weeks to complete.

I am enclosing a memorandum reflecting the temporary assignment of personnel in this Division as a result of these special cases. Bureau will note that I have stripped the Resident Agencies to what I feel is an absolute minimum number of Agents to handle jail cases, expedite deadlines, etc. I have left 4 Agents to handle the entire Northern District of Mississippi, and this includes one Agent who will be spending the greater portion of his time on police schools. Seven Resident Agents remain to handle all expedite investigative matters in the Middle and Western Districts of Tennessee, outside the headquarters city area. These men, of course, are utilized to handle isolated leads in their territory in the above three specials. The expedite work including jail cases, expedite deadlines, etc., are being handled by 7 Agents in headquarters city.

Two Special Agents and the ASAC are presently on extended leave, however, I have been in contact with them and they are voluntarily returning to work prior to the expiration of their leave in order to assist in these specials. The attached memorandum and above comments account for all of the investigative employees of the Memphis Office.

At 1:00 PM today it was necessary to temporarily reassign several of the Agents working on the above specials to investigate a bank robbery which occurred today at Bells, Tennessee. The bank robbery investigation will, of course, delay to some extent the completion of the specials. This office also conducted extensive surveillances in Memphis concerning suspects in Little Rock case captioned, "[redacted] ET AL; BOMBING MATTERS." However, barring other unforeseen major cases requiring extensive investigations, I am hopeful that we can complete the captioned investigations in the times indicated in this Airtel. The Bureau is assured that every effort possible is being made by the employees of this office to complete the investigations at the earliest possible date. The cooperation extended to me by the employees is outstanding. Several have voluntarily reported to work prior to the expiration of their approved leave, indicating their intense interest in insuring that the Bureau's commitments are handled.

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The above is submitted in order to give the Bureau a complete picture of the status of each of the Election laws cases under investigation.

To date, no incidents have arisen in either Fayette or Haywood Counties as a result of our current investigations and persons interviewed have at least received the Agents with cordiality. Although these special investigations as outlined above are placing a tremendous strain on this office and will cause excessive delinquencies in various categories, I am still strongly of the opinion that in the best interest of the Bureau the investigations in Fayette and Haywood Counties should be conducted by Agents assigned to the Memphis Office. I feel that this procedure will cause less comment in these counties and less chance of an incident arising. As an example, today two Agents had occasion to interview the wife of a newspaper man in Somerville, Tenn. The Agents identified themselves at the beginning of the interview, however, at the end of the interview she again asked the Agents' names and specifically asked whether or not they were assigned to the Memphis Office.

Based on the information in this airtel, should the Bureau give favorable consideration to the temporary assignment of personnel to this office from other Divisions to assist in our general investigative work, both at headquarters and in the

Resident Agencies, it would be possible for me to assign additional Memphis Agents to the investigations in Fayette and Haywood Counties. I could also utilize personnel from other offices on case captioned "UNLABELED LITERATURE AGAINST SENATOR KEFAUVER; ELECTION LAWS," as well as to the current bank robbery investigation.

In the event the Bureau at this time will consider such temporary assignment of personnel, I will submit my recommendations as to the number of Agents, cars, etc. which could be utilized by this Division. Such recommendations will not be submitted pending instructions from the Bureau.

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335) DATE: July 29, 1960
(ATTENTION FBI LABORATORY)
Lab Report #D341741

FROM : SAC, LITTLE ROCK (56-92)

SUBJECT: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.;
WILLIAM NATHAN MATHIS; WILLIAM
ALLEN AUSBON;
UNKNOWN SUBJECTS
ELECTION LAWS
OO: MEMPHIS

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F. W. W.
8-1-60 ERROR LETTER SENT

Re report of SA JOSEPH A. CANALE at Memphis, 7-15-60, and report of SA HERMAN E. TICKEL at Little Rock, 7-29-60.

Enclosed herewith are the following specimens:

Q34 One stencil (paper) re "Shelby County Citizens Council" beginning "Dear Citizen" and ending [redacted] Executive Secretary." b6 b7C

Q35 One stencil (paper) re above containing separate paragraph beginning "In the County Court" and ending "First District."

Q36 One copy of "Political Report" Issue July 1960.

Q37 One copy of poem "Black Speckled Banner."

Q38 One paper plate captioned "Klans Men Vote" and ending "Dr. Charles H. Malik, Lebanese Ambassador."

Q39 One copy of above item in printed form.

Q40 One application blank "NAACP MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION". (comical)

Q41 One printed sheet re "Shelby County Citizens Council," containing separate paragraph beginning, "In the County" and ending "First District."

Q42 One printed sheet re "Shelby County Citizens Council" the text of which deletes the separate paragraph as described above.

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Laboratory Transmittal Form
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Memphis (56-82)

Date: August 4, 1960

Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., et al.
ELECTION LAWS

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

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FBI File No. 56-2335-41
Lab. No. D-342809 BS

Examination requested by: Memphis

Reference: Letter 7-28-60

Examination requested: Document

Remarks:

For your investigative assistance, significant similarities were noted between the questioned handwriting on items 6, 7 and 8 and the known writing of DERRICK on items 5 and 9.

No negative comparable with the circular captioned "Estes is the Bestest...." has yet been submitted by Little Rock.

Specimen K2, submitted with Memphis airtel of 7-14-60, is described as from IBM Electric typewriter bearing serial number 714494, on the bottom of the typewriter in ink.

Specimen K12 was submitted with Little Rock letter of 7-29-60, as from typewriter bearing serial number 163294 (IBM Electric).

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Enclosures (20) (Q18-Q28, K4-K9, "ALSO SUBMITTED", 2 Lab report)
1-Little Rock (56-92) Enclosure (Lab report)
1-Knoxville (56-58) Enclosure (Lab report)

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Specimen K14 was submitted with Little Rock letter of 7-29-60, from Royal typewriter serial number KMM 18-3666490. Specimen K3 was submitted with Memphis airtel of 7-14-60. For your investigative assistance, similarities were noted between the questioned typing reproduced on Q5 and the known typing, K3 and K14.

Similarities appear in the typing on all of the postal cards, Q8, Q9, Q23 through Q25 and Q51 through Q57.

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REPORT of the FBI LABORATORY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Memphis

Date: August 4, 1960

FBI File No. 56-2335

Lab. No. D-342809 BS

Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., et al.
ELECTION LAWS

Specimens received 8-2-60

Q18 Three copies of circular entitled "Estes is the Bestest" which were contained in envelope K8

Q19 Envelope postmarked "MEMPHIS TENN. JUL 3 1960 5 30 PM" addressed "Dr Roy N Baker President Bethel College Mc Kenzie Tenn" containing a circular entitled "Estes is the Bestest...," a newspaper article "The Kefauver Masquerade," and a poem "The Saddest Story Ever Told"

Q20 Envelope postmarked "MEMPHIS TENN JUN 19 1960 6 PM" addressed "Mrs King Jamison Jackson Tenn" containing articles entitled "Estes is the Bestest..." and "The Saddest Story Ever Told"

Q21 Envelope postmarked "MEMPHIS TENN JUL 3 1960 5 30 PM" addressed "Ike Peel Dyersburg Tenn" containing a circular entitled "Estes is the Bestest...," a newspaper article "The Kefauver Masquerade," and a poem "The Saddest Story Ever Told"

Q22 Newspaper article entitled "The Saddest Story Ever Told," circular entitled "Estes is the Bestest....," and a pamphlet entitled "U. N. The New Cominform" all of which were contained in envelope K9.

Q23 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA TENN JUN 26 1960 6 PM" addressed "Mr. Ed Delstrom Graham Paper Co. Memphis, Tennessee." bearing on reverse message beginning "KNOWING YOU TO BE..." ending "...GOD HELP US"

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Q24 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA TENN JUN 23 1960 3 30 PM" addressed "Mrs. Webb Cowan Ashland City, Tenn." bearing on reverse side message beginning "KNOWING YOU TO BE..." ending "...GOD HELP US"

Q25 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA TENN. JUN 23 1960 3 00 PM" addressed "Mrs. King Jamison Jackson, Tennessee." bearing on reverse side message beginning "KNOWING YOU TO BE..." ending "...GOD HELP US"

Qc26 Photocopy of two-page circular entitled "THE RECORD AND STATEMENTS OF SENATOR ESTES KEFAUVER" from HOWARD J. TAYLOR

Q27 Circular entitled "THE RECORD AND STATEMENTS OF SENATOR ESTES KEFAUVER" from WILLIAM ALLEN AUSBAN

Q28 Circular entitled "THE RECORD AND STATEMENTS OF SENATOR ESTES KEFAUVER" from RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.

Kc4 Photographic negative of newspaper article entitled "The Kefauver Masquerade"

Kc5 Photographic negative of poem entitled "The Saddest Story Ever Told"

K6 Aluminum offset plate of news article "The Kefauver Masquerade"

K7 Aluminum offset plate of poem "The Saddest Story Ever Told"

K8 Envelope postmarked "MEMPHIS TENN. MAY 4 1960 5 30 PM" addressed "Prof. Enoch Mitchell Mos History Dyt Memphis State University City," which contained Q18

K9 Envelope postmarked "MEMPHIS TENN JUN 19 1960 6 PM" addressed "Mr. Edwin Dawstrom 345 So - Front St Memphis Tenn." The handwriting on this envelope together with the handwriting on the pamphlet entitled "U.N. The New Cominform" (Q22) is the known handwriting of subject "Herrick"

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ALSO SUBMITTED: Sheet of white paper bearing handwritten notation "Dear Ed - People are saying--..."

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the circulars captioned "The Kefauver Masquerade," included in items 6 and 8 (Q19 and Q21) were printed from a plate (or plates)made from the lithographic negative item 1 (K4).

It was concluded that the plate, item 3 (K6) was made from the negative, item 1 (K4).

It was concluded that the "Masquerade" circulars were printed either from the plate, item 3 (K6), or from another plate made from the negative, item 1 (K4).

It was concluded that the "Saddest Story" circulars in items 6, 7, and 8 were printed either from the plate, item 4, and negative, item 2, or from other plates and/or negatives made from the same original type setting.

No conclusion was reached as to whether the handwriting on the envelopes, items 6, 7 and 8 was or was not written by DERRICK, whose known handwriting appears on items 5 and 9, because of the lack of known specimens in wording sufficiently similar to that of the questioned handwriting.

It was concluded that the typing reproduced in the upper portion of the circulars, Q2, etc., captioned "ESTES IS THE BESTEST....." was prepared on IBM Electric typewriter, specimens of which are designated as K2 and K12.

No conclusion was reached as to whether the typing reproduced on Q5 was or was not typed on Royal typewriter, K14, because of the lack of a sufficient number of significant typewriting defects.

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It was concluded that the typing reproduced on Q13, "NAACP"Membership Application" was prepared on the typewriter, K2 and K12.

The postal cards, items 10 through 12, Q23 through Q25 and Q8 and Q9, Q51 through Q57, submitted by Knoxville are all similar in content, size and style of type. However, there are not sufficient significant characteristics present to permit a definite determination as to whether the same typewriter was used to prepare all of these specimens.

It was concluded that item 13 (Qc26) is not a photographic reproduction of item 14 (Q27). However, both may have been reproduced from the same master copy.

It was concluded that item 13 and Q7, previously submitted, were not typed on the same typewriter.

Q3 and item 15 (Q28) are both lithographic reproductions of the same original typed sheets, printers' type proofs and cartoon. Whether both were printed from the same plate cannot be determined.

The submitted evidence is attached for Memphis. Photographs are not retained.

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335)
Attention: FBI Laboratory

DATE: 7/28/60

FROM : SAC, MEMPHIS (56-82)

SUBJECT: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., ET AL
ELECTION LAWS

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OO: MEMPHIS

Enclosed under separate cover are the following items of evidence:

(1) One photograph negative of newspaper item entitled, "The Kefauver Masquerade," secured from VERNEY SEEBODE.

(2) One photograph negative of poem, "The Saddest Story Ever Told," secured from VERNEY SEEBODE.

(3) One aluminum offset plate of a news article, "The Kefauver Masquerade," secured from VERNEY SEEBODE.

(4) One aluminum offset plate of poem, "The Saddest Story Ever Told," sevured from VERNEY SEEBODE.

(5) One envelope addressed to Professor ENOCH MITCHELL, Memphis State University, postmarked Memphis, Tennessee, 5/4/60, containing known handwriting of LELAND CONNALLY DERRICK, which envelope contains three copies of circular, "Estes is the Bestest..." with photo of Senator KEFAUVER shaking hand with tow male Negroes.

(6) Envelope postmarked Memphis, Tennessee, 7/3/60 addressed to Dr. ROY N. BAKER, President, Bethel College, McKenzie, Tennessee, which contained copies of the following items:

(a) Circular "Estes is the Bestest..."
(b) The newspaper article "The Kefauver Masquerade."
(c) Poem "The Saddest Story Ever Told."

(7) Envelope postmarked Memphis, Tennessee, 6/19/60, addressed to Mrs. KING JAMISON, Jackson, Tennessee, containing copies

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of circulars, "Estes is the Bestest..." and, "The Saddest Story Ever Told."

(8) Envelope postmarked Memphis, Tennessee, 7/3/60 addressed to IKE PEEL, Dyersburg, Tennessee, containing circulars, "Estes is the Bestest..." and "Kefauver Masquerade" and the poem, "The Saddest Story Ever Told."

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(9) Envelope postmarked Memphis, Tennessee, 6/19/60 addressed to Mr. EDWIN ~~BALSTROM~~, ~~375~~ South Front Street, Memphis, Tennessee, containing copies of "The Saddest Story Ever Told," "Estes is the Bestest..." and the pamphlet, "U. N. the New Cominform" which envelope and pamphlet contain the known handwriting of subject DERRICK.

(10) Postal card addressed to Mr. ED DALSTROM, Graham Paper Company, postmarked Chattanooga, Tennessee, 6/26/60, bearing writing beginning, "Knowing you to be a patriot..." and ending, "...God help us."

(11) Postal card addressed to Mrs. WEBB COWAN, Ashland City, Tennessee, and postmarked Chattanooga, Tennessee, 6/23/60, beginning and ending the same as Item 10 above.

(12) Postal card addressed to Mrs. KING JAMISON, Jackson, Tennessee, postmarked Chattanooga, Tennessee, 6/23/60, beginning and ending the same as Items 10 and 11 above.

(13) Two-page photographic copy of circular captioned, "The Record and Statements of Senator Estes Kefauver" from HOWARD J. TAYLOE.

(14) One-page circular beginning, "The Record and Statements of Senator Estes Kefauver" secured from WILLIAM ALLEN AUSBAN.

(15) One copy of circular captioned, "The Record and Statements of Senator Estes Kefauver" secured from subject RICHARD JACKSON, BURROW, JR.

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

It is requested that the following examination be conducted concerning this evidence: b6 b7C

(1) If possible, determine whether the photograph negatives and offset plates in Items 1 - 4, above, were used in the preparation of the copies of the circulars captioned, "The Saddest Story Ever Told" and "The Kefauver Masquerade" which are included in Items 5 - 9, above.

(2) It is requested that the unknown handwriting of subject DERRICK which appears on the envelope and on the copies of the pamphlet, " U. N. the New Cominform", Item 9, and on the envelope of Item 5, above. It is requested that this handwriting be compared with all the handwriting appearing on Items 5 - 9 to determine whether subject DERRICK prepared such handwriting.

(3) It is requested that the copies of the circular captioned, "Estes is the Bestest..." which includes a photo of Senator ESTES KEFAUVER be compared with a photo negative to be submitted by the Little Rock Office, secured from a search of the residence of [redacted] on 7/23/60, and that it be determined, if possible, whether this photograph negative was used in the preparation of the circular, "Estes is the Bestest..."

(4) It is requested that the typewriting specimens submitted by the Little Rock Office, having been submitted during the above-described search of the [redacted] home in West Memphis, Arkansas, be compared with the typing on circular "Estes is the Bestest...", enclosed herewith and submitted at other times during this investigation. It is further requested that such typing specimens from the Little Rock Office be compared with specimens previously submitted and described as Q2 and Q5 and with the NAACP membership application previously submitted in this investigation.

(5) It is requested that the postal cards in Items 10 - 12 be compared with other similar items submitted by the Knoxville Division.

(6) It is requested Items 13 and 14, above, be compared to determine whether Item 13 is a photographic reproduction of Item 14 on any part thereof. Will compare Item 13 with Specimen Q7 previously received by the Laboratory to determine whether these Items are identical or had been prepared by the same typewriter.

(7) Will compare Item 15, above, with Q3 previously received at the Laboratory in this investigation, it being noted that Item 15 was furnished in this investigation by subject RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., as a sample of the circulars described by him.

It is requested that upon conclusion of the examination these specimen be returned to the Memphis Office. Copies of the Laboratory report should be forwarded to the Little Rock and Knoxville Offices.

Laboratory Transmittal Form
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Little Rock (56-92)

Date: August 5, 1960

Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.;
WILLIAM NATHAN MATHIS;
WILLIAM ALLEN AUSBON;
UNKNOWN SUBJECTS
ELECTION LAWS

John Edgar Hoover,

FBI File No.
Lab. No. 56-2335
REC- 25 D-342980 BS

Examination requested by: Little Rock

Reference: Letter 7/29/60

Examination requested: Document

Remarks:

K2 was previously submitted with Memphis of 7/14/60, and was described as having number 71449 appears on the bottom of the typewriter in ink.

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Enclosures (23) (Q34 - Q50, K11 - K14, 2 Lab report)
1 - Mr. Startzell, Room 5732 (sent direct)
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REPORT of the FBI LABORATORY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Little Rock

Date: August 5, 1960
FBI File No. 56-2335
Lab. No. D-342988 BS

Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.;
WILLIAM NATHAN MATHIS;
WILLIAM ALLEN AUSBON;
UNKNOWN SUBJECTS
ELECTION LAWS

Specimens received 8/1/60

Q34 One stencil (paper) re "Shelby County Citizens Council" beginning "Dear Citizen" and ending "[redacted] Executive Secretary"

Q35 One stencil (paper) re "Shelby County Citizens Council" containing added paragraph beginning "In the County Court" and ending "First District"

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Q36 Volume I of "Political Report" dated July, 1960

Q37 Sheet of paper bearing poem "The Black Speckled Banner"

Q38 One paper plate captioned "Klans Men Vote" and ending "Dr. Charles H. Malik, Lebanese Ambassador"

Q39 Printed form captioned "Klans Men Vote" and ending "Dr. Charles H. Malik, Lebanese Ambassador"

Q40 NAACP Membership Application

Q41 One printed sheet re "Shelby County Citizens Council" containing added paragraph beginning "In the County Court" and ending "First District"

Q42 One printed sheet re "Shelby County Citizens Council" beginning "Dear Citizen" and ending [redacted] Executive Secretary"

Q43 Printed sheet re "Southern Sit-Downers Association"

Q44 One green sheet captioned "All Nine of 'Em"

Q45 Cartoon captioned "I'm Dedicated to.. Assist the NAACP--to desegregate you trashy white folks"

Q46 Original Proof or Makeup Format of April, 1960, Political Report

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Q47 Handwritten sheet of paper captioned "Shelby County Citizens Council" and signed on reverse side [redacted] Executive Secretary" b6 b7C

Q48 Stencil on yellow paper plate captioned "All Nine of 'Em"

Q49 Printed sheet captioned "Be A Man----Join the Klan"

Q50 Printed sheet beginning "Dear Comrade" and ending "INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF HUMAN BROTHERHOOD"

K11 Original and carbon copy of typewriting from an Underwood Electric typewriter, SN E16-7160551

K12 Original and carbon copy of typewriting from an IBM Electric typewriter, SN 163294

K13 Original and carbon copy of typewriting from a Corona portable typewriter, SN 1W18417

K14 Four sheets of paper bearing known typewriting from a Royal upright typewriter, SN KMM 18-3666490

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the typewriter used to prepare K2 (previously submitted) and K12 was also used in the preparation of specimens Q34, Q35, and Q37 through Q43, and portions of Q46 and Q36.

Due to the lack of a sufficient number of typewriting defects or due to the lack of detail in the typewritten reproductions, none of the remaining questioned typewriting could be identified with specimens K11 through K14.

The submitted evidence is returned herewith. Photographs are retained.

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FBI LABORATORY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Knoxville (56-58)

Date: August 4, 1960

Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., et al.
ELECTION LAWS

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No.
Lab. No. 56-2335
D-342989 BS

Examination requested by: FBI, Knoxville

Reference: Letter 7/28/60

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

A separate report will be submitted on the latent fingerprint examination. The submitted evidence will be returned with the latent fingerprint report.

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Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
1 - Memphis (56-82) Enclosure (Lab report)
1 - Mr. Startzell - Room 5732 (sent direct)

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REPORT of the

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Knoxville

Date: August 4, 1960
FBI File No. 56-2335
Lab. No. D-342989 BS

Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., et al.
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Specimens received 8/1/60

Q51 Post card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN. JUN 15 1960 3 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mr. Jack Mayfield 3925 Ringgold Road Chattanooga 11, Tenn." and bearing typewritten message on reverse side entitled "KNOWING YOU AS A PATROIT"

Q52 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN. JUL 25 1960 1 30 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mrs. Warren Jackson 3805 Monte Vista Drive City.11" and bearing the typewritten message on the reverse side entitled "KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT"

Q53 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN JUN 26 1960 6 30 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mrs C. P. Kelley 119 Sequola Ave. City 11" and bearing the typewritten message on the reverse side beginning "KNOWING YOU AS A PATROIT"

Q54 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN. JUN 26 1960 6 30 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mr. French Jenkins 2715 East 17th Street City. 4" bearing the typewritten message on the reverse side entitled "KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT"

Q55 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN. JUN 26 1960 6 30 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mrs. C. C. Hobbs 821 Mt Belvoir City. 11" and bearing on the reverse side the typewritten message entitled "KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT"

Q56 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN. JUN 26 1960 6 30 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mrs. Wayne Hughie 3603 Maiden Lane Chattanooga 11, Tenn." and bearing the typewritten message on the reverse side entitled "KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT"

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Q57 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN. JUN 26 1960 6 30 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mr. Richard N. Ivins Athens, Tennessee." and bearing on the reverse side the typewritten message entitled "KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT"

K15 Sheet of paper bearing typewritten specimens from Underwood typewriter SN 11-6149579

K16 Sheet of paper bearing typewritten specimens from Tower typewriter SN 4AT50842 and bearing on the reverse side the known handwriting of J. EARL SCOTT

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the typewriting on Q51 through Q57 was not prepared on the typewriter used to prepare K16.

No conclusion could be reached whether the typewriter used to prepare K15 was used in preparing Q51 through Q57 due to the limited number of significant typewriting defects in the questioned typewriting. It was noted that K15 and Q51 through Q57 were prepared on machines equipped with the same style and size of type.

The submitted evidence will be returned separately. Photographs are retained.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.,
et al.
ELECTION LAWS

File # Section 3
56-2335
Lab. # D-342989 BS

Latent

Examination requested by: FBI, Knoxville (56-58) 7/28/60

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 8/1/60

Result of Examination:

Examination by: English

Q51 through Q57 examined & returned by LTPS - 8/9 - hec along with J K15416

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Specimens submitted for examination

Q51 Post card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN. JUN 15 1960 3 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mr. Jack Mayfield 3925 Ringgold Road Chattanooga 11, Tenn." and bearing XXXa typewritten message on reverse side XXXXXXXXXX entitled "KNOWING YOU AS A PATRIOIT"

Q52 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN. JUL 25 1960 1 30 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mrs. Warren Jackson 3805 Monte Vista Drive City.11" and bearing the typewritten message on the reverse side entitled "KNOWING YOU TO BE A PARTOIT"

Q53 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN JUN XX 26 1960 6 30 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mrs. C. P. Kelley 119 Sequola XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX Ave. City 11" and bearing the typewritten message on the reverse side XXX beginning "KNOWING YOU AS A PATRIOIT"

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Q54 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN. JUN 26 1960 6 30 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mr. French Jenkins 2715 East 17th Street City. 4" bearing the typewritten message on the reverse side entitled "KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT"

Q55 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN. JUN 26 1960 6 30 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mrs. C. C. Hobbs 821 Mt Belvoir City. 11" and bearing on the reverse side the typewritten message entitled "KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT"

Q56 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN. JUN 26 1960 6 30 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mrs. Wayne Hughie 3603 Maiden Lane Chattanooga 11, Tenn." and bearing the typewritten message on the reverse side entitled "KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT"

Q57 Postal card postmarked "CHATTANOOGA 2 TENN. JUN 26 1960 6 30 PM" bearing the typewritten address "Mr. Richard N. Ivins Athens, Tennessee." and bearing on the reverse side the typewritten message entitled "KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT"

K15 Sheet of paper bearing typewritten specimens from Underwood typewriter SN 11-6149579

K16 Sheet of paper bearing typewritten specimens from Tower typewriter SN 4AT50842 and bearing on the reverse side the known handwriting of J. EARL SCOTT

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (RM) (56-2335)
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

FROM: SAC, KNOXVILLE (56-58)

SUBJECT: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.;
ET AL
ELECTION LAWS
(OO: Memphis)

ENCLOSURES (9) (Registered Mail)

(1) Post card addressed Mr. Jack Mayfield, 3925 Ringgold Road, Chattanooga 11, Tenn. Postmarked June 15, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(2) Post card addressed Mrs. Warren Jackson, 3805 Monte Vista Drive, City. 11. Postmarked June 25, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(3) Post card addressed Mrs. C. P. Kelley, 119 Sequola Ave. City. 11. Postmarked June 26, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(4) Post card addressed Mr. French Jenkins, 2715 East 17th Street, City. 4. Postmarked June 26, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(5) Post card addressed Mrs. C. C. Hobbs, 821 Mt Belvoir, City. 11. Postmarked June 26, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(6) Post card addressed Mrs. Wayne Hughie, 3603 Maiden Lane, Chattanooga 11, Tenn. Postmarked June 26, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(7) Post card addressed Mr. Richard N. Ivins, Athens, Tennessee. Postmarked June 26, 1960, at Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(8) Typewriter specimen from Standard Underwood Typewriter, Serial Number 11-6149579, property of LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND, dated 7/18/60.

(9) Typewriter specimen from Portable Tower Typewriter, SN 4AT50842, in possession JOSEPH EARL SCOTT, Chattanooga, Tennessee, dated 7/18/60.

Submitted to Bureau by Knoxville letter dated 7/28/60.

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ENCLOSURE

KNOWING YOU AS A PATROIT

It is not understandable how you can support one who cast the one lone decending vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our United States of America.

GOD HELP US

R. B.D.
7-18-60

Jm.
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CHATTANOOGA TENN. JUN 26 1960

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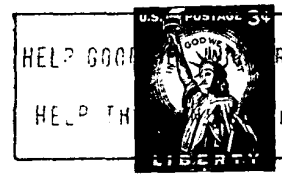

Mr. French Jenkins
2715 East 17th Street
City. 4

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CHATTANOOGA TENN. JUN 26 1960

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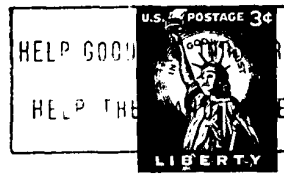

Mr. Richard N. Ivins

Athens, Tennessee.

56-2335 Q53 BS

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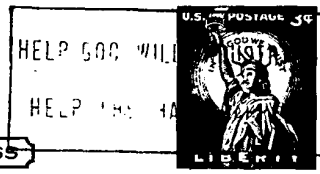

Mrs. C.P.Kelley
119 Sequola Ave.
City. 11

KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT

It is not understandable how you can offer support of one that cast the lone (ONE) vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

GOD HELP US

56-2335 Q52 BS

KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT

It is hard to under stand how you can offer support of one that cast the lone (LONE ONE) vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

GOD HELP US

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KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT

It is not understandable how you can offer support to one that cast the lone (ONE) vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

GOD HELP US

56-2335 Q56 BS

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THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Mrs. Wayne Hughie
3603 Maiden Lane
Chattanooga 11, Tenn.

56-2335 Q55 BS

THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

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Mrs. C.C.Hobbs
821 Mt Belvoir
City. 11

56-2335 Q52 BS

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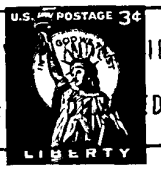

Mrs. Warren Jackson
3805 Monte Vista Drive
City. 11

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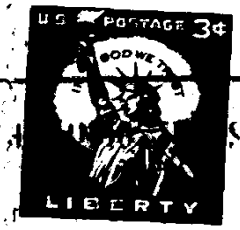

Mr. Jack Mayfield
3925 Ringgold Road
Chattanooga 11, Tenn.

Chattanooga, Tennessee
July 18, 1960

The following is a specimen of type obtained on this date from a portable Tower typewriter, Serial Number 4AT50842, property of Kenneth Lee, Chattanooga, Tennessee. This typewriter was in possession of Joseph Earl Scott, 3805 Fountain Avenue, Chattanooga, Tennessee on the above date and he has had it in his personal possession for approximately the past two months.

No. 1

Mrs. Warren Jackson,
3805 Monte Vista Drive
City. 11.

No. 2

KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT

It is not understandable how you can offer support of one that cast the lone (ONE) vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

GOD HELP US

JUNE 21, 1960

No. 3 OFFICIAL NOTICE:

That we, The Defenders of the American Constitution, Inc. have made plans for our Annual Picnic and Outing at Warner Park beginning at noon on July 16, 1960.

The Defenders of the American
Constitution, Inc.
P.O. Box 3183

July 18, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee

I Larimore Britton Hoccand Voluntarily permitted George C. Welborn and Charles A. Riley Special Agents of The F.B.I. to obtain typewriter specimen set forth on reverse side of this page. These specimen were taken in my presence.

Larimore Britton Hoccand

7-18-1960.

Witnesses: George C. Welborn, Special Agent, F.B.I., Knoxville, Tenn. 7/18-60

Charles A. Riley, Special Agent, F.B.I., Knoxville, Tenn - 7-18-60.

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Chattanooga, Tennessee
July 18, 1960

The following is a specimen of type obtained on this date from a standard Underwood typewriter, Serial number 11-6149579, property of LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND, Chattanooga, Tennessee. This typewriter was in the personal possession of LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND, Chattanooga, Tennessee on the above date and he has had this typewriter for approximately the past twenty years. Mr. HOLLAND voluntarily consented to the following specimen's being obtained from his typewriter:

Mr. Jack Mayfield, 3925 Ringgold Road, Chattanooga, 11, Tenn.

KNOWING YOU AS A PATRIOT It is not understandable how you can support one who cast the one lone decending vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our United States of America. GOD HELP US.

Mrs. Warren Jackson, 3805 Monte Vista Drive, City. 11

KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATRIOT It is not understandable how you can offer support of one that cast the lone (ONE) vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. GOD HELP US

Mr. French Jenkins, 2715 East 17th Street, City. 4

Mrs. C.P.Kelley, 119 Sequola Ave. City.11

Mrs. Wayne Hughie, 3603 Maiden Lane, Chattanooga 11, Tenn.

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56-2335 K15 DC

July 18 1960

Chattanooga Tennessee

I J Earl Scott did allowed agent of the F.B.I., George C Welborn & Charles A. Riley to type the reverse side of this Page from a Typewriter in my Possession and in my Presences on the above date.

The description of the Typewriter on the Reverse side of this Page is Correct.

Joseph Earl Scott

Witnesses:

George C. Welborn, Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Knoxville, Tenn. 7-18-60.

Charles A. Riley, FBI, Special Agent, Knoxville, Tennessee 7/18/60

KNOWING YOU AS A PATRIOT

It is not understandable how you can support one who cast the one lone decending vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our United States of America.

GOD HELP US

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KNOWING YOU AS A PATROIT

It is hard to understand how you can offer support of one that cast the lone (ONE) vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

GOD HELP US

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KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT

It is hard to understand how you can offer support of one that cast the lone (ONE) vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

GOD HELP US

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KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT

It is not understandable why you offer your support of one that cast the lone (ONE) vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

GOD HELP US

R.B.H.
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Date: 8/6/60

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335)

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (56-82)

RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.; ET AL
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Memphis - Origin

Re Memphis Airtel to Bureau, 8/5/60.

Enclosed for the Bureau are original and one copy of newspaper article appearing in "The Commercial Appeal" newspaper, Memphis, Tenn., 8/6/60, relating to captioned matter. One copy of this article is also being furnished to the Little Rock Office.

The information in this article was telephonically furnished to the Little Rock Office 8/6/60 to insure that that office was aware of the information contained in attached article. The Little Rock Office advised that they are aware of the allegations made by the [redacted] and that the Little Rock Office has been in contact with the Bureau concerning these allegations.

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"The Commercial Appeal" newspaper is not being contacted re this matter unless specifically requested by Little Rock or the Bureau.

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Blasting Charges Denied By Miller

Says He Didn't Tell FBI He Carried Dynamite

Special to The Commercial Appeal

WEST MEMPHIS, Aug. 5.—Emmett E. Miller, West Memphian charged in connection with an attempted bombing of Philander Smith (Negro) College at Little Rock, heatedly denied Friday that he had admitted transporting explosives to blow up the school.

Federal Bureau of Investigation Agent Edward F. McFadden said Thursday Miller had admitted to him that he took the explosives to Little Rock to blow up the school and "thereby delay integration of public schools."

"I have never admitted doing that—it's an utter falsehood," Miller said. "I have never even signed any statement to the FBI."

Mr. Miller charged the FBI was guilty of releasing "barefaced lies." Asked if any immediate action was planned by them, Mrs. Miller said exactly what action had not been decided, but "if any is taken it will be during the first of next week."

She also accused the FBI of harassing her family "in an outright attempt to cause all the personal damage they can."

She said the FBI's recent searching of the Millers' home for unsigned political literature was an example. Federal law prohibits the circulation of unsigned political literature.

She said Federal officers threatened to arrest her for printing such literature if she did not identify for whom the literature was printed. She said she refused to give any names.

She said one of the political publications she printed was called the "Political Report" and carried a postoffice box number in Memphis as its signature.

Per SAC Cooper 8/9/60 this is language of affidavit for search warrant which is public record. See LR airtel 8/8/60 chd

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THE COMMERCIAL APPEAL
AUGUST 6, 1960
FINAL EDITION
MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE
EDITOR: FRANK R. AHLGREN
RE: [redacted] ET AL
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RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR. et al.
ELECTION LAWS

Reref SA John A. Parker, 8/1/60.

Statement of Larimore Britton Holland, page 20, shows that Joseph Earl Scott furnished Holland a long-hand rough draft which Holland used to send post cards. Immediately submit letterhead memorandum clarifying the point as to whether Holland still has this rough draft or the manner in which it was disposed of.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Reporting Office	Office of Origin	Date	Investigative Period
KNOXVILLE	MEMPHIS	8/1/60	7/18 - 8/1/60

TITLE OF CASE
"CHANGED"
RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.;
WILLIAM NATHAN MATHIS;
WILLIAM ALLEN AUSBON;
ARTHUR BRUCE COLE;
NED DUPES, aka Neubert Dupes;
GLENN (NMN) HATMAKER, aka "Coon";
LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND;
JOSEPH EARL SCOTT;
UNKNOWN SUBJECTS

Report made by
JOHN A. PARKER

Typed By:
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CHARACTER OF CASE

ELECTION LAWS

The title of this case is changed to add to the title the names of subjects JOSEPH EARL SCOTT, LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND, ARTHUR BRUCE COLE, GLENN (NMN) HATMAKER, AKA "COON" and NED DUPES, AKA NEUBERT DUPES. The title of this case was previously carried as "UNLABELED POLITICAL LITERATURE AGAINST SENATOR KEFAUVER".

REFERENCES

Report of SA CHARLES A. RILEY at Knoxville dated 7/15/60.
Report of SA JOSEPH A. CANALE at Memphis dated 7/15/60.
Memphis teletype to Knoxville dated 7/22/60.

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Approved J. D. Jamison Special Agent in Charge

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For the information of the Bureau and Memphis Division, [redacted]

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By communication dated 7/28/60, the Knoxville Division submitted to the FBI Laboratory all postcards collected and postmarked at Chattanooga, Tennessee, that were prepared by LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND. Also submitted were typewriter specimens from HOLLAND'S typewriter and from a typewriter in possession of JOSEPH EARL SCOTT at time of his initial interview. The Laboratory was requested to advise if the type on these cards are identical with the type on HOLLAND'S typewriter and to determine if SCOTT'S typewriter was used in the preparation of any of these cards. Also, the Laboratory was requested to determine if any latent prints could be found and identified with either HOLLAND or SCOTT'S fingerprints.

Other items of unlabeled anti-KEFAUVER literature distributed in Knoxville Division, as described in this report, were forwarded to FBI Laboratory via Knoxville letters dated 7/20/60 and 7/28/60.

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KNOXVILLE DIVISION

AT LA FOLLETTE, TENN.:

Will locate and interview CARLOCK MYERS regarding unlabeled anti-KEFAUVER literature reportedly furnished by him to GLENN HATMAKER.

AT KNOXVILLE, TENN.:

Will report results of Laboratory examinations.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - U. S. Attorney, Knoxville
1 - U. S. Attorney, Memphis

Report of: JOHN A. PARKER Office: KNOXVILLE
Date: August 1, 1960

File Number: KX 56-68 Bufile: 56-2335

Title: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.; WILLIAM NATHAN MATHIS; WILLIAM ALLEN AUSBON; ARTHUR BRUCE COLE; NED DUPES; GLENN (NMN) HATMAKER; LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND; JOSEPH EARL SCOTT; UNKNOWN SUBJECTS

Character: ELECTION LAWS

Synopsis:

LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND, w/m, DOB 10/29/97, Chattanooga, Tenn., Secretary, Chattanooga Chapter, The Defenders of the Constitution of the United States, Inc., admitted typing approximately sixteen postcards worded "Knowing you as a Patroit, It is not understandable how you can support one who cast the one lone decending vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our United States, God Help Us". HOLLAND claims JOSEPH EARL SCOTT, President, Chattanooga Chapter of D.O.C.U.S., instructed him to type above statement on postcards and SCOTT furnished him with the mailing list. HOLLAND, after typing, returned all postcards to SCOTT for mailing. HOLLAND claims had no knowledge his acts constituted a possible Federal violation. JOSEPH EARL SCOTT, w/m, DOB 5/30/08, Hamilton County, Tenn., President, Chattanooga Chapter of D.O.C.U.S., and admitted former leader of Chattanooga Klavern, U. S. Klan, KKKK, Inc., and of Dixie Klan, KKKK, Inc., East Chattanooga, Tenn., denied distributing unsigned or unlabeled postcards, or any type of anti-Kefauver literature and denied any knowledge thereof. [redacted] Harriman, Tennessee, interviewed 7/28/60 and furnished signed statement admitting distribution of anti-Jewish and anti-Kefauver literature labeled as originating with "The American Nationalist", Box 301, Inglewood, Calif. GLENN (NMN) HATMAKER, MWA, DOB 1/20/14, alleged bootlegger and taxi operator at LaFollette, Tennessee, on 7/25/60 admitted to Bureau Agents passing out unlabeled anti-Kefauver literature on streets of LaFollette, Tenn., 7/21/60 and previously, but denied knowing source

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or origin of this mimeographed literature, claiming he just found it in his Jeep. Investigation indicates HATMAKER, identified as worker for KEFAUVER'S opponent Judge ANDREW TAYLOR, probably obtained instant literature from CARLOCK MYERS, realtor, a member of TAYLOR'S Committee; however, MYERS unavailable for interview to date. Sheets admittedly passed out by HATMAKER read "Ask yourself this question when you go to vote --- ... Why was it our Tennessee Senator was the only U. S. Senator to vote against the bill to outlaw the Communist Party in this country????? VOTE AMERICAN and vote for ANDREW (TIP) TAYLOR for U.S. SENATOR". ARTHUR BRUCE COLE, MWA, DOB 1/8/91, insurance agent and cemetery manager, LaFollette, Tennessee, National Chairman of National States Rights Party and an avowed racial segregationist, admitted on 7/26/60 to Bureau Agents that he passed out at LaFollette about a dozen printed cards, anti-Kefauver in content, unlabeled as to source or origin, captioned "Are You Stupid?" but denied knowing source of cards claiming received in mail anonymously about two months ago. NED DUPES, MWA, DOB 3/9/01, retired vaudvillian, Knoxville, Tenn., Secretary of National States Rights Party, admitted distributing at Knoxville a number of printed cards captioned "Are You Stupid?", text of which is derogatory, anti-Kefauver in nature, but DUPES claimed package of these cards was left on his porch and he does not know their source or origin. These cards are unlabeled and appear identical to similar cards admittedly distributed by ARTHUR BRUCE COLE. Cards admittedly passed out by COLE and DUPES are printed and read "Are You Stupid? Estes Kefauver considers you are. And does not hesitate to insult intelligent people. He has voted against the South on every issue and finally refused to cast the one necessary vote to put Supreme Court in their place. He is an Anti Christ stooge and a one world idiot. If you the people of Tennessee send him back for another 6-year destruction, then you will prove he is correct in considering you stupid!" HATMAKER, COLE and DUPES all denied knowing their acts possibly were in violation of Section 612, Title 18, U. S. Code. Specimens of above literature forwarded to FBI Laboratory for examination.

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AT CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE:

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 7/27/60

JACK D. MAYFIELD, Hamilton County Campaign Manager for Senator KEFAUVER, advised that he has received no further information concerning individuals who have received unlabeled or unsigned literature.

He advised that he had received from Mrs. JEAN LIVINGSTON, 1718 Minnekahda Road, Chattanooga, Tennessee, the copy of "Political Report", Volume I, July 1960, which she had received through the U. S. Mails. He advised that this political report was addressed to her and bore a 3¢ U. S. postage stamp. This political report bears the return address Political Report, P.O. Box 3682, Memphis, Tennessee. Mr. MAYFIELD turned over to Bureau Agents this copy, and it is retained in the files of the Knoxville Division.

Mr. MAYFIELD advised that Mrs. LIVINGSTON had not received any other type of literature which was unsigned or unlabeled. He stated Mrs. LIVINGSTON knew of no reason why this Political Report was sent to her.

Mr. MAYFIELD voluntarily advised that he had recently been in contact with a JOSEPH EARL SCOTT who is reportedly the President of The Defenders of the Constitution of the United States, Inc., and that Mr. SCOTT had contacted him for the purpose of obtaining assistance from the Veterans Administration for one HOWARD CARNEY KELLY, Route 4, Ringgold, Georgia, who is a disabled Veteran. He said that his first contact with SCOTT was sometime in June, 1960, at which time he was in the company of an unknown person. His second contact with Mr. SCOTT was on or about July 12, 1960, at which time he was in the company of the aforementioned Mr. KELLY. At this time SCOTT advised him that he was President of The Defenders of the Constitution of the United States, Inc., and extended to him an invitation to attend The Defenders of the Constitution of the United States, Inc., picnic at Warner Park July 16, 1960. Mr. MAYFIELD added that neither he nor any representation from the KEFAUVER campaign headquarters attended this picnic. Mr. SCOTT at this time informed him that he was trying to interest his organization, The Defenders of the Constitution of the United States, Inc., to support Senator KEFAUVER. Mr. MAYFIELD

On 7/20/60 at Chattanooga, Tennessee File # KX 56-68

by Special Agents GEORGE C. WELBORN and CHARLES A. RILEY (idh) Date dictated 7/21/60

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stated that SCOTT left the impression with him that he was interested in some financial compensation for this support; however, SCOTT made no direct statements along these lines.

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Date 7/27/60

JOSEPH EARL SCOTT, 3805 Fountain Avenue, East Ridge, Chattanooga, Tennessee, was interviewed at his place of residence and was advised of the purpose of the investigation. He was further advised that he did not have to make any statement, and any statement he did make may be used against him in a court of law. No threats or promises were made to Mr. SCOTT, and he was advised of his right to consult an attorney.

Mr. SCOTT stated that he was not aware of any unlabeled or unsigned literature that was being distributed either personally or through the U. S. Mails in connection with the current U. S. Senatorial campaign in the State of Tennessee.

Mr. SCOTT was exhibited a U. S. regulation post card which was enclosed in a sealed cellophane envelope and addressed to Mrs. WARREN JACKSON, 3805 Monte Vista Drive, City. 11, postmarked June 25, 1960, at Chattanooga, Tennessee. This post card on the reverse side had typed the following:

"KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT

"It is hard to understand how you can offer support to one that cast the lone (ONE) vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

"GOD HELP US"

He was also exhibited another U. S. post card addressed Mrs. C. P. KELLEY, 119 Sequola Ave. City. 11, postmarked June 26, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee, which contained the same statement on the reverse side as that reflected in the post card of Mrs. WARREN JACKSON. This post card was also sealed in a cellophane envelope when exhibited to Mr. SCOTT. He stated that he had never seen nor heard anything concerning the above-described post cards or post cards similar to these being distributed in the State of Tennessee.

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Mr. SCOTT was also exhibited an envelope addressed to Mrs. WARREN JACKSON, 3805 Monte Vista Dr., City 11, bearing the return address of "Defenders of The Constitution, Inc., P.O. Box 3183, Chattanooga 4, Tennessee". Enclosed in this envelope was a mimeographed letter dated June 21, 1960, inviting Mrs. WARREN to a picnic sponsored by The Defenders of the American Constitution, Inc., to be held July 16, 1960, at Chattanooga, Tennessee. Mr. SCOTT was advised that the purpose in contacting him was the fact that Mrs. WARREN had received the above-described post card which was unsigned and unlabeled, and she also received the above-described envelope from The Defenders of the American Constitution, Inc., and that both were identically addressed.

Mr. SCOTT advised that he was the President of The Defenders of American Constitution, Inc., Chattanooga Chapter; that he and his organization were sponsoring a political picnic to be held July 16, 1960; and that the Secretary of this organization, Mr. L. B. HOLLAND, at his instructions had addressed envelopes to members of their organization and other civic individuals whom they desired to be present at this political picnic which they were sponsoring. He stated that he did not believe that Mrs. WARREN JACKSON was a member of The Defenders of the Constitution of the United States, Inc., Chattanooga Chapter, and that he knew of no reason why she should have received an invitation to attend their political picnic on July 16. He stated that he had no knowledge of his organization sending this invitation to Mrs. WARREN JACKSON and suggested that Mr. L. B. HOLLAND, secretary, would have handled the mailing list in connection with this invitation.

Mr. SCOTT voluntarily advised that in 1956 he was one of the leaders of the Chattanooga Klavern, U. S. Klan, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Inc., and during that year he and other members split with this group. He said he, [redacted] and others then chartered a new Klan organization in the State of Tennessee. He said this organization is known as the Dixie Klan, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Inc., with headquarters at East Chattanooga, Tennessee. He advised he was one of the leading officials in this latter organization until June, 1959, when he cancelled his membership. He displayed a letter he had submitted to the Secretary of State, Nashville, Tennessee, which reflected that JOSEPH EARL SCOTT, 1200 Sholar Avenue, Chattanooga, Tennessee, on June 29, 1959, requested the Secretary of State to remove his name from the charter issued to the Dixie Klan, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Inc. SCOTT says as of this date he resigned and severed his connections with this organization. He further added that prior to his resignation he was the Grand Dragon for the State of Tennessee.

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SCOTT further volunteered that he was President of the local Chapter #1 of The Defenders of the Constitution of the United States, Inc., and exhibited the charter for this organization which is dated August 7, 1959, and issued by the Secretary of State, State of Tennessee, Nashville, Tennessee. This charter reflected that the incorporators were J. E. SCOTT, J. R. BREWTON, J. W. CUMMING, R. E. NEWLIN, E. D. PECKINPAUGH, C. D. SPAIN, ROBERT L. TAYLOR and W. S. PETTY. This charter reflects that the "purpose of this organization was for the establishment and maintenance of social enjoyment among its members; the organization of cooperative associations or branches of this corporation to promote, encourage, maintain and preserve all individual rights of each and every citizen of this state and of the United States, as promulgated and guaranteed in the Constitution of this state and the United States, and for such other purposes as are provided herein; and for the support of such benevolent and cahritable works as may be deemed proper and desirable by the officers of this corporation."

SCOTT voluntarily stated in his own words that the purpose of this organization was "to prevent integration, however that cause is lost and the only purpose now is to ensure that religious freedom is maintained in the United States". He added the purpose of the organization is "to keep the doors of the Protestant churches open". SCOTT further volunteered the fact that his organization had offered their support to both Judge ANDREW T. TAYLOR and to Senator ESTES KEFAUVER's campaign headquarters at Hamilton County, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Mr. SCOTT was asked if he would sign a statement reflecting his denial that he had no knowledge concerning the above-described post cards which were unsigned and unlabeled and the fact that he had no knowledge of any unfavorable literature being distributed or mailed that was unsigned and unlabeled. He voluntarily agreed and a signed statement was prepared in his presence at which time he read it in the presence of Special Agents WELBORN and RILEY. Upon completion of the reading of this statement, he re-read the first paragraph through twice and stated he would not sign this statement in view of the following statement reflected in the first paragraph, "I know that any statement I make may be used against me in a court of law". He requested that this statement be deleted and that he would then sign this statement. He was informed that that statement could not be changed, and he declined to sign this statement without consulting with his attorney, DON MOORE.

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"Chattanooga, Tennessee
"July 18, 1960

"I, Joseph Earl Scott make the following free and voluntary statement to George C. Welborn and Charles A. Riley, whom I know to be Special Agents, Federal Bureau of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice. No threats or promises have been made to me and I know that any statement I make may be used against me in a Court of Law. I know that I have a right to an Attorney.

"I am fifty-two years of age. I was born 5-30-08, Hamilton County, Tennessee. I am the Acting President of the Chattanooga Chapter, Defenders Of The Constitution Of The United States, at Chattanooga, Tennessee.

"On the above date Special Agents George C. Welborn and Charles A. Riley, Federal Bureau of Investigation, displayed to me the following U. S. regulation postcard, postmarked, Chattanooga, Tennessee, June 25, 1960, 1:30 p.m. and addressed to Mrs. Warren Jackson, 3805 Monte Vista Drive, City. 11. The reverse side of this card contains the following: "KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT, It is not understandable how you can offer support of one that cast the lone (ONE) vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. GOD HELP US".

"I wish to state that I have no knowledge of the above postcard. That I did not prepare this or other postcards containing similiar statements and that I did not receive these postcards from any person, persons or organizations and then place them in the United States mail. I as Acting President of the Chattanooga Chapter, Defenders of The Constitution Of The United States state that this organization had nothing to do with the preparation or distribution of the above described postcard or similiar postcards received through the U. S. Mails.

"I have been exhibited an envelope addressed to Mrs. Warren Jackson, 3805 Monte Vista Dr. City 11, bearing return address of Defenders Of The Constitution, Inc., P. O. Box 3183, Chattanooga, Tennessee. This envelope containing a mimeograph notice dated June 21, 1960 was mailed members of our organization. The above Mrs. Jackson is not a member of our organization and I am not acquainted with her or have knowledge of her address. The mailing of this envelope was not authorized by this organization and I have no knowledge of the person or persons who may have mailed this envelope.

"I further state that I have no knowledge how anyone could have obtained this envelope or enclosed mimeograph statement from my organization.

"Although this literature is in the name of Defenders Of The Constitution, Inc., it is a publication of of Defenders Of The Constitution Of The United States, which is a Chartered Tennessee State organization.

"The above two pape typewritten statement was read by Joseph Earl Scott, in its entirety, in the presence of Special Agents George C. Welborn and Charles A. Riley. Mr. Scott stated the above was true and correct, however, he refused to sign this statement because of the preamble "I know that any statement I make may be used against me in a Court of Law." Mr. Scott stated he desired to consult his attorney.

"Witnesses:

/s/ George C. Welborn, Special Agent, F.B.I.,
Knoxville, Tenn. 7-18-60

/s/ Charles A. Riley, Special Agent, F.B.I.,
Knoxville, Tennessee, 7-18-60."

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Mr. SCOTT voluntarily advised he had in his possession a portable Tower Typewriter, Serial Number 4AT50842, property of KENNETH LEE, Chattanooga, Tennessee. He voluntarily permitted typewriter specimens to be taken from this typewriter.

SCOTT advised that he would telephonically contact the Chattanooga Resident Agency after he had consulted with his attorney concerning the above statement.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 7/27/60

Efforts were made to contact JOSEPH EARL SCOTT at his residence, 3805 Fountain Avenue, East Ridge, Chattanooga, with negative results. Later that same date Mr. SCOTT was located at the Hamilton County Juvenile Court, Chattanooga, Tennessee, at which time he advised that he could not discuss anything with Bureau Agents. He advised that he was leaving Chattanooga immediately and had a scheduled trip planned to Cleveland, Tennessee. He advised that he would be available at 9:30 AM on July 21, 1960, for interview.

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by Special Agents GEORGE C. WELBORN and CHARLES A. RILEY (idh) Date dictated 7/21/60

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 7/28/60

At 9:30 AM, 7/21/60, efforts were made to contact Mr. JOSEPH EARL SCOTT at his residence, 3805 Fountain Avenue, East Ridge, Chattanooga, Tennessee, with negative results.

Later that date, Mr. SCOTT was located telephonically at his residence at which time he advised he was not available for interview until July 25, 1960. He advised that a special meeting of his lodge, The Defenders of the Constitution of the United States, Inc., had been called at Nashville or Memphis, Tennessee, and that he was leaving early in the A.M. of July 22, 1960, and would not return to Chattanooga until late in the P.M. of July 24, 1960.

He voluntarily stated that his organization was switching their support to Senator ESTES KEFAUVER and that they no longer had an interest in supporting Judge ANDREW T. TAYLOR. He voluntarily stated that he had only contacted Mr. JACK D. MAYFIELD, Hamilton County Campaign Manager for Senator KEFAUVER, concerning his support.

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Date 7/29/60

At 8:05 AM, July 25, 1960, JOSEPH EARL SCOTT telephonically contacted the Chattanooga Resident Agency and advised that he would not be available for interview on that date until 4 PM.

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by Special Agent KENNETH G. POLLARD Date dictated 7/27/60
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Mr. JOSEPH EARL SCOTT, 3805 Fountain Avenue, East Ridge, Chattanooga, Tennessee, was interviewed at his residence at 5:15 PM, at which time he was advised that he did not have to make a statement and any statement he made may be used against him in a court of law. No threats or promises were made to him, and he was advised of his right to consult an attorney.

Mr. SCOTT denied emphatically that he had any connection or knowledge with the preparation, the mailing or distribution of any type of literature which was anti-KEFAUVER and which was unsigned or unlabeled. He stated his first knowledge of the mailing of the post cards was on July 18 when first contacted by Special Agents WELBORN and RILEY, at which time two post cards which were unsigned and unlabeled were exhibited to him enclosed in cellophane envelopes.

Mr. SCOTT stated that he desired to make no further statements in connection with this matter until he had consulted with his attorney. He declined to permit fingerprints to be taken of him, stating that he had been fingerprinted in the past when doing construction work during the 1940's at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, and Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia. He advised that should his attorney advise him to make a statement in this matter and to furnish fingerprints to the FBI, that he would notify the local FBI Office in the near future.

The following description was obtained through interview and observation:

Name:	JOSEPH EARL SCOTT
Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Date of Birth:	5/30/1908, Hamilton County, Tennessee.
Height:	5' 6"
Weight:	250 lbs.
Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Gray
Characteristics:	Wears glasses; reportedly blind in left eye.

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by Special Agents GEORGE C. WELBORN and CHARLES A. RILEY (idh) Date dictated 7/28/60

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Complexion:	Dark
Build:	Stocky
Military Service:	None
Selective Service Classification:	4-F
Occupation:	Unemployed
Residence:	3805 Fountain Avenue, East Ridge, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Wife:	[redacted] residence same, employed - [redacted] Chattanooga, Tenn.
Admitted Arrest Record:	1955, Hamilton County, Tenn., obtaining money under false pretenses, not guilty.

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On March 14, 1958, Mrs. MARGARET NANCE, Chattanooga Credit Bureau, advised SA GEORGE C. WELBORN the files of that office reflect that JOSEPH EARL SCOTT had been known to their files from 1934 to present. During the entire period he has had an unsatisfactory credit rating, having been sued on 13 occasions from January, 1938, to November, 1955, in amounts ranging from $10.85 to $105.00. This file contained a number of newspaper articles. A review of these newspaper articles reflects that according to an article in the Chattanooga News Free Press, a daily Chattanooga publication, dated June 24, 1955, one J. EARL SCOTT faced charges on June 23, 1955, in a Hamilton County warrant with obtaining money under false pretenses. According to this article the warrant was taken out by JAMES BARBREE, 1929 Rossville Boulevard, Chattanooga, Tennessee. No elaboration was made concerning this warrant, however, the Assistant Attorney General, HENRY V. GRADY, later said that the Attorney General's Office is very anxious to hear from anyone who had paid out money allegedly to settle a legal proceeding in Hamilton County. According to another article appearing in the Chattanooga News Free Press, dated October 6, 1955, JOSEPH EARL SCOTT, a former taxi driver and construction worker, Chattanooga, was charged with fraudulent breach of trust by the Hamilton County Grand Jury on October 5, 1955, in connection with an alleged pledge to intervene in a damage suit in Chattanooga Local courts on behalf of JAMES BARBREE. The indictment alleged that SCOTT took $72.00 from BARBREE, November 27, 1954, with a promise to pay court costs owed by BARBREE in a judgment against him in Hamilton County Circuit Court. In Session Court hearing, according to this article, BARBREE testified SCOTT passed as the friend of several high county officials and stated that he paid SCOTT in hopes of getting a $400.00 judgment against him removed. Judge ROBERT E. COOPER denied a new trial in the damage suit and the verdict remained the same.

According to the newspaper article, February 5, 1956, the one continued trial of J. EARL SCOTT, on the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses was set before Criminal Court Judge RAULSTON SCHOOLFIELD, Hamilton County, Tennessee. According to this article this case was continued for the Hamilton County Grand Jury to make an additional investigation.

A newspaper article dated April 15, 1956, reflects the trial of JOSEPH EARL SCOTT, in connection with the fraudulent breach of trust and the alleged promise to settle the case in Circuit Court had been set for trial before Criminal Court Judge, RAULSTON SCHOOLFIELD, for the third time.

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According to a newspaper article dated April 18, 1956, on April 17, 1956, Criminal Court Judge RAULSTON SCHOOLFIELD in a trial of J. EARL SCOTT, ruled that SCOTT could not be guilty as charged and freed him. Judge SCHOOL-FIELD ruled that he could not be guilty of violation of the Fraudulent breach of trust statute, but could have been tried on obtaining money under false pretenses; however, since he was charged with the fraudulent breach of trust, he ruled that he was not guilty and retired the case.

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Mr. ROBERT L. TURNER, 2313 East 14th Street, was interviewed at his residence and advised that he had never received any type of anti-KEFAUVER literature through the U. S. Mails or from any other source. He stated that he has never returned to the Hamilton County Campaign Headquarters for Senator KEFAUVER any envelope containing anti-KEFAUVER literature which was unlabeled or unsigned.

Mr. TURNER added that he was aware of the investigation being conducted in this matter through newspaper articles he had read in Chattanooga, Tennessee. He stated he has no knowledge of anything concerning this matter.

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Mrs. CHARLES CHESTER HOBBS, 821 Mt. Belvoir, advised that sometime in June, 1960, she had received at her residence a postcard addressed to her as Mrs. C. C. HOBBS, 821 Mt Belvoir, City 11, and bearing on the reverse side a statement, knowing you to be a patriot and the fact that it was hard to understand how one could support the individual who had cast the one lone vote to outlaw the Communist Party in the United States and signed God help us. She stated that she was not in possession of this card at the present time and the above statement was only from her personal recollection. She stated that she had returned this post card to the Hamilton County Campaign Headquarters for Senator KEFAUVER shortly after it was received.

She stated that she is an open supporter for Senator KEFAUVER in this campaign and that her name had appeared as being on a committee sometime in June in the local Chattanooga papers. She said shortly after her name appeared in the newspaper she received the above-mentioned post card. She said that she did not know the source from which this post card came, and she could suggest no person or persons who would have mailed this post card to her. She added that she has not received any other unlabeled or unsigned literature since the receipt of the above post card. Mrs. HOBBS advised that she would personally obtain this post card from the campaign headquarters and turn it over to the FBI.

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Mrs. CHARLES CHESTER HOBBS, 821 Mt. Belvoir, furnished the following described post card which she had received through the U. S. Mails: post card postmarked June 26, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee, addressed Mr. C. C. Hobbs, 821 Mt Belvoir, City. 11. Reverse side contained the following statement typewritten: "KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT It is hard to under stand how you can offer support of one that cast the lone (LONE ONE) vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our UNITED STATES OF AMERICA GOD HELP US".

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LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND furnished the following signed statement which is maintained in the files of the Knoxville Division:

"Chattanooga, Tennessee
"July 18, 1960

"I, LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND furnish the following free and voluntary statement to GEORGE C. WELBORN and CHARLES A. RILEY, whom I know to be Special Agents, Federal Bureau of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice. No threats or promises have been made to me and I know that any statement I make may be used against me in a Court of Law. I know that I have a right to an Attorney.

"I am employed as a Bookkeeper, Gamble Construction Company, 5807 Lee Highway, Chattanooga, Tennessee and I reside at 1832 Everglade Blvd., Chattanooga, Tennessee.

"I am Secretary of the Chattanooga Chapter, Defenders Of The Constitution Of The United States, Inc., Chattanooga, Tennessee. The President of the Chattanooga Chapter of this organization is JOSEPH EARL SCOTT. This Chapter holds weekly closed meetings at 906½ Market St., Chattanooga, Tennessee.

"Prior to one of these weekly closed meeting in June, 1960 SCOTT and I arrived early. SCOTT stated to me that he wanted to send out some literature in the form of letters to supporters of Senator ESTES KEFAUVER who is seeking re-election to the U. S. Senate from the State of Tennessee. He wanted to use names in these letters and the letters were in support of Judge ANDREW T. TAYLOR, who is also seeking this office. I suggested that no names be used and in place of letters that a brief message on postcards should be used. SCOTT wrote in long-hand a sketch of the message desired on the postcard and furnished me the names and addresses of four individuals to whom the cards should be addressed.

"Later I typed this message to these four individuals on non regulation postcards, green in color and addressed them according to the way SCOTT had them listed. These cards were

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addressed to JACK MAYFIELD, Chattanooga, Tennessee; (FNU) IVINS, Athens, Tennessee; (FNU) TODD, Kingsport, Tennessee and some unknown woman, Murfreesboro, Tennessee. All of whom were supporters of Senator KEFAUVER.

"Within one or two days after typing these cards I gave them to JOSEPH EARL SCOTT when we were both at 906½ Market St., Chattanooga, Tennessee. I do not recall the date. These cards were unstamped at the time I turned them over to SCOTT.

"On July 18, 1960 a green card addressed to Mr. JACK MAYFIELD, 3925 Ringgold Road, Chattanooga 11, Tenn., postmarked Chattanooga, Tenn., June 15, 1960, reverse side containing the following statement: "KNOWING YOU AS A PATROIT, It is not understandable how you can support one who cast the one lone decending vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our United States of America. GOD HELP US", was exhibited to me and I have identified this card as being the one that I addressed and typed the message for JOSEPH EARL SCOTT and then returned this and three other cards to SCOTT for mailing.

"Approximately three or four days after I gave these green cards to SCOTT he requested that I type ten or twelve similiar cards on regulation type postcards. He furnished me with the names and addresses of ten or twelve individuals in Chattanooga, Tennessee, all of whom were reported to be supporters of Senator KEFAUVER. I typed the same or a similiar message on each of these postcards and addressed them according to the names and addresses as furnished by SCOTT. It should be noted that the top line of these cards "KNOWING YOU AS A PATROIT" was prepared by me and was not on the original sketch furnished to me by SCOTT.

"After typing and addressing these cards I returned them to SCOTT. I do not recall the date these cards were returned to him.

"On July 18, 1960 four U. S. regulation postcards addressed as follows Mrs. WARREN JACKSON, 3805 Monte Vista Drive, City. 11; Mrs. WAYNE HUGHIE, 3603 Maiden Lane, Chattanooga 11, Tenn., Mrs. C. P. KELLEY, 119 Sequola Ave., City 11; and Mr. FRENCH JENKINS, 2715 East 17th Street, City. 4, all postmarked at Chattanooga, Tennessee on either June 25 or 26, 1960 were exhibited to me. I identified these cards as having been typed by me and turned over to SCOTT. I initialed and dated each of these postcards when they were exhibited to me.

"All of the above postcards were typed by me on my personal Standard Underwood typewriter which is approximately twenty years old. To my knowledge only JOSEPH EARL SCOTT and myself know the source and identity of the person who prepared these postcards.

"I was not aware that the preparation, distribution and mailing of postcards of this nature constituted a violation of any law. I had no intention of violating any laws, State or Federal when I typed these cards. I turned all of these cards over to JOSEPH EARL SCOTT and did not place any of these cards in the U. S. Mails.

"I have read the above signed statement consisting of this and one other typed page. I have initialed all corrections and signed each page. This statement is true to best of my knowledge.

/s/ Larimore Britton Holland
7-18-1960

"Witnesses:
/s/ George C. Welborn, Special Agent, F.B.I., Knoxville, Tenn. 7-18-60
/s/ Charles A. Riley, Special Agent, F.B.I. Knoxville, Tenn. 7-18-60"

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HOLLAND further volunteered to permit typewriter specimens to be taken from his Standard Underwood typewriter, Serial Number 11-6149579.

The following description of LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND was obtained through interview and observation:

Name:	LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND
Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Age:	62
Date of Birth;	October 29, 1897, Chattanooga, Tennessee.
Height:	6'
Weight:	235 lbs.
Build:	Heavy
Complexion:	Fair

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Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Blue
Wife:	LUCY HOLLAND
Residence:	1832 Everglade Boulevard, East Ridge, Chattanooga, Tennessee.
Occupation:	Bookkeeper, employer - Gamble Construction Company, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

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TAGNER BAILEY, Identification Officer, Chattanooga Police Department, advised that their records reflect that LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND has Chattanooga Police Department No. 5797 and FBI No. 1501251. This record reflects that HOLLAND on 3/22/38 was arrested by the Chattanooga Police Department on a charge of forgery of Government check, released to U. S. Secret Service same date, sentenced to 18 months for forgery 4/9/38, confined U. S. Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, #54071.

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Mr. LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND telephonically advised that on Wednesday, July 20, 1960, he had contacted his physician concerning a possible heart ailment and that on July 21, 1960, he was confined to the Memorial Hospital, Chattanooga, Tennessee, where he is presently undergoing treatment for a possible heart attack. He further advised that his physician on 7/25/60 informed him that his heart was in fair condition and that he could not advise of his date of release from the hospital.

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RICHARD N. IVINS, 100 Highland Avenue, Athens, Tennessee, advised he had received the following postal card on an unrecalled date, but presumably immediately after the date appearing on the postmark:

Postal card of the type sold by the U. S. Post Office, addressed to Mr. Richard N. Ivins, Athens, Tennessee. The message read as follows:

"KNOWING YOU TO BE A PATROIT

"It is hard to understand how you can offer support of one that cast the lone (ONE) vote not to outlaw the Communist Party in our UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

"GOD HELP US"

The post card was postmarked June 26, 1960, 6:30 PM, Chattanooga 2, Tennessee.

Mr. IVINS said the card, without naming him, made an obvious reference to U. S. Senator ESTES KEFAUVER. He advised he had no idea who may have sent the card but assumed whoever sent it obtained his name from a list of members of a Kefauver Committee which appeared in a Chattanooga, Tennessee, newspaper just prior to his receipt of the card.

He identified NEAL ENSMINGER, Athens, also a member of the Kefauver Committee, as an individual who had received a similar card.

After receiving the card, he contacted other members of the Committee and determined that Chairman TOM GAMBLE had not received a card. He said he thought another member of the Athens committee, in addition to ENSMINGER, had received one, but was unable to recall who it may have been.

He had reported the matter to BOB DENNIS, U. S. Postal Inspector, Chattanooga, Tennessee, but did not know the results of any investigation conducted by the Postal authorities.

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by Special Agent EARL G. POLESKI, JR. Date dictated 7/27/60

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J. NEAL ENSMINGER, General Manager, Daily Post-Athenian, Athens, Tennessee, was displayed a post card addressed to Richard N. Ivins, Athens, Tennessee, post-marked Chattanooga, Tennessee, June 26, 1960.

He advised Mr. IVINS had advised him of the receipt of this card and had inquired if he (ENSMINGER) had received a similar card. He said he had not, but did receive one which was substantially identical to that received by IVINS a day or so later.

He said he no longer had this card, having thrown it away after having read it.

He could identify no additional individuals who had received a similar card. He said he had no idea who may have prepared or sent the cards but assumed one had been directed to him as a result of his name appearing in a Chattanooga newspaper as a member of the KEFAUVER Committee.

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Date July 28, 1960

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[redacted] was interviewed in his office by Special Agents L. NELMS JOHNSON and JACK K. MURPHREE regarding any hate-type literature that may have been distributed by him or by any individual of his acquaintance. [redacted] furnished the following voluntary signed statement:

"Harriman, Tenn.
"July 27, 1960

"I, [redacted] furnish the following voluntary statement to L. Nelms Johnson and Jack K. Murphree who have identified themselves as Special Agents, Federal Bureau of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice. I have been advised that any statement I do make is purely voluntary; that any statement I make may later be used in a court of law and that I have right to counsel.

"I reside at [redacted] Harriman, Tenn. and I am a [redacted] located in [redacted] Harriman, Tenn.

"Sometime around February 1, 1960, I, acting as Secretary of the Harriman Klavern, U. S. Klans, Knights of The Ku Klux Klan, Inc., ordered approximately 200 copies of a pamphlet entitled "Our "Kosher" Politicians" from the American Nationalist, Box 301, Inglewood, California. These were mailed to me at P. O. Box 283, Harriman, Tenn.

"Two or three weeks after these pamphlets were received they were placed on a desk at a meeting of the Harriman Klavern, Junior Order Hall, Harriman, Tenn. for other members of the Klan. Any member could take copies for distribution. I believe this was done around the latter part of February 1960.

"I did not distribute any of these pamphlets to individuals at Harriman, Tenn., outside the meeting of the Harriman Klavern nor have I received or distributed any other literature which related to the Taylor-Kefauver campaign.

"In February 1960 I mailed two or three copies of the pamphlet "Our "Kosher" Politician" to the campaign headquarters of Judge Andrew "Tip" Taylor in Jackson, Tenn.

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by SAS L. NELMS JOHNSON & JACK K. MURPHREE Date dictated 7/28/60
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"I do not know what members of the Harriman Klavern took copies of the pamphlet and I do not know what individuals distributed these outside the Klavern.

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"I mailed approximately 10 copies of this pamphlet to [redacted] Maryville, Tenn. Klavern and approximately 10 copies to [redacted] Dayton, Tenn. Klavern, U. S. Klans, Knights of the Ku Klux Klans, Inc.

"I have read the above statement concisting of this and to other pages and is is true to the best of my knlolege

/s/[redacted]

"Witnesses:
/s/"L. Nelms Johnson, Special Agent, F.B.I., Knoxville, Tenn., 7/27/60
/s/"Jack K. Murphree, Special Agent, F.B.I., Knoxville, Tenn., 7/27/60"

[redacted] voluntarily surrendered copies of the pamphlet entitled "Our "Kosher" Politician", 10 of which are being retained as evidence.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date July 21, 1960

On July 20, 1960, Mr. J. H. CALDWELL, Realtor, 615 Market Street, Knoxville, Tennessee, was contacted concerning certain unlabeled political campaign literature allegedly published and distributed in opposition to the canidacy of U. S. Senator ESTES KEFAUVER, who is seeking the Democratic nomination for re-election to the U. S. Senate from Tennessee.

Mr. CALDWELL was shown a photostatic copy of an envelope addressed to "Mr. J. H. CALDWELL, Realtor, 675 Market Street, Knoxville, Tennessee", bearing a postmark April 2, 1960, at Memphis, Tennessee, together with a photostat of a leaflet captioned "Estes is the Bestes Liberal-Socialist in the Land" bearing a photograph of Senator KEFAUVER shaking hands with two Negro men, beneath which photograph appears the wording "ESTES GREETED. Admirers were ready for handshakes when Senator KEFAUVER (D. Tenn.) arrived at a meeting of National Association for Advancement of Colored People in Los Angeles . . . ."

It is noted that the above photostats were furnished to FBI Headquarters by the Office of the Postmaster General to whom they had been transmitted by Senator KEFAUVER via cover letter dated June 13, 1960.

Mr. CALDWELL, after carefully examining the above envelope and piece of literature which accompanied it, stated that he does not recall having received this material and did not forward it to Senator KEFAUVER'S Office.

Mr. CALDWELL advised that he is the only J. H. CALDWELL in Knoxville and is the only CALDWELL engaged in the real estate business on Market Street. He advised that his office address is 615 Market Street and that there is no such number as 675 Market Street.

Mr. CALDWELL advised that he had no information concerning the above campaign literature, did not know its source, and had no idea who could have addressed the above envelope to him from Memphis.

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by Special Agent JOHN A. PARKER cly/sc Date dictated 7/20/60

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On July 18, 1960, Mr. WILLIAM C. WILSON, attorney, Ambrose & Wilson, Burwell Building, Knoxville, Tennessee, who is the local campaign manager for Senator ESTES KEFAUVER, advised that Mrs. ALICE REYNOLDS, a secretary employed in the office of the Knox County Commissioner of Welfare & Institutions, Room 112 Knox County Court House, Knoxville, had turned over to him a copy of a publication entitled "POLITICAL REPORT" for July 1960, which bore a 3¢ stamp and was apparently mailed at Memphis, Tennessee. It was addressed in ink to Mrs. REYNOLDS.

Mr. WILSON made available above publication, examination of which reflects it bears return address of Post Office Box 3682, Memphis, Tennessee. Inserted inside this publication was a double postcard, one half of which bore a photo of TIP TAYLOR (Senator KEFAUVER'S primary opponent) and the wording "TIP TAYLOR for U. S. SENATOR" and the other half of which was pre-addressed business reply card bearing address of TOM BATCHELOR, Campaign Manager, TIP TAYLOR FOR U. S. SENATOR, 501-2 Claridge Hotel, Memphis, Tennessee, which card bore printed frank issued under Permit No. 3364, Memphis. Recipients were encouraged to fill in their name and address, advising TAYLOR'S manager if they would work in behalf of TAYLOR and, if so, how.

The above copy of "POLITICAL REPORT" turned over by Mr. WILSON, bears on page 9 a photograph of Senator KEFAUVER shaking hands with a Negro man, with another Negro man with outstretched palm waiting to shake the Senator's hand, and beneath the photograph is the wording "ESTES GREETED, Admirers were ready with handshakes when Senator ESTES KEFAUVER (D., Tenn.) arrived at meeting of National Association for Advancement of Colored People in Los Angeles". Page 10 of this publication is a full page advertisement headed "Vote TIP TAYLOR for SENATOR" paid for by "B. L. LOFTEN, SR., Leg. Repr. Division 672 of B of LE".

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by Special Agent JOHN A. PARKER epm/sc Date dictated 7/19/60

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Mr. WILSON said Mrs. REYNOLDS told him she had no idea who had sent her this piece of literature. This item is being retained in the Knoxville file.

Further, on July 18, 1960, Mr. WILSON made available three white printed cards which he said were turned over to him by Mr. TIM P. LAWSON, Vice-President, Camel Mfg. Company, Knoxville, who said he found them some weeks ago in his car which had been left parked near Fort Sanders Presbyterian Hospital, West Clinch Avenue, Knoxville, and who said such cards apparently had been passed out and put in automobiles parked in that vicinity. Mr. LAWSON had no information as to the source of these cards, nor who had distributed them, according to WILSON.

The three cards are described as follows:

(1) Size 3 x 5½" captioned "COMMUNISM IN THE PULPIT!" which alleges among other things that the National Council of Churches, headed by Edwin T. Dahlberg, who has 17 known listings of Communist affiliations, is a Communist-front group, but does not mention KEFAUVER or TAYLOR;

(2) Size 2¼ x 5½" captioned "WHITE MAN AWAKEN!" alleges that the youth outings sponsored by the Y. W. C. A. take both whites and Negroes together and that the Y. W. C. A. is infiltrated with Communists, but does not mention KEFAUVER or TAYLOR;

(3) Size 2½ x 5½" captioned "ARE YOU STUPID?" reads as follows: "Estes Kefauver considers you are. And does not hesitate to insult Intelligent people. He has voted against the South on every issue and finally refused to cast the one necessary vote to put Supreme Court in their place. He is an Anti Christ stooge and a one world idiot. If the people of Tennessee send him back for another 6-year destruction, then you will prove he is correct in considering you stupid."

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It was noted that card #3, as originally printed, read "He has voted against the State of Tennessee on every issue. . ."; however, the words "State of Tennessee" were struck out and the word "South" typed above them.

None of the above three cards is labeled or otherwise identified as to source or origin.

These three cards have been forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for appropriate examination.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date July 25, 1960

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On July 23, 1960, [redacted] age 19, residence [redacted] Nashville, Tennessee, was interviewed at Knoxville and advised that he has been traveling in the caravan with Senator ESTES KEFAUVER during the latter's campaign for re-election to the U. S. Senate. [redacted] explained that he is the son of [redacted]

[redacted] stated that, while at LaFollette, Tennessee, at about 10:30 a.m. on July 21, 1960, he observed a man, later identified as GLENN HATMAKER, passing out literature on the street in LaFollette to persons with whom Senator KEFAUVER had just spoken or shaken hands a few moments previously.

[redacted] advised that he was handed a piece of literature by HATMAKER which stated, in effect, that Senator KEFAUVER had voted against the bill to outlaw the Communist Party and bore the statement "Vote American, Vote for Andrew "Tip" Taylor for U. S. Senate."

On July 23, 1960, after the original of above piece of literature was made available by Senator ESTES KEFAUVER, [redacted] identified it by signing his name and placing the date on the reverse side thereof.

[redacted] stated he gave this piece of literature, which he described as hand-printed and mimeographed on white letterhead-size paper, to Mr. AL CLIFT, Manager of the KEFAUVER caravan, who later that date gave it to Senator KEFAUVER.

[redacted] stated that he saw HATMAKER pass out several pieces of this literature to persons on the street, but did not know any of the persons to whom the literature was handed and

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that no one known to him witnessed HATMAKER hand him the piece of literature which he received. [redacted] stated HATMAKER was approximately a half block behind KEFAUVER at the time he gave him the above piece of literature. b6 b7C

[redacted] went on to relate that the KEFAUVER caravan traveled from LaFollette to Oneida and, at Sunbright, Tennessee, certain newspaper men accompanying the caravan learned about the above literature being distributed at LaFollette and it was decided that [redacted] should accompany these newspaper men back to LaFollette in an effort to locate and interview the man who had given [redacted] this literature. [redacted] explained he did not know HATMAKER'S identity at this time. He said he returned to LaFollette with Mr. MILTON BRITTEN, a reporter for the Knoxville News-Sentinel, and other Scripps-Howard newspapers, Mr. SPRINGER GIBSON, a reporter for the Chattanooga Times, and Mr. DAVID HALBERSTAM, a reporter for the Nashville Tennessean.

At LaFollette, [redacted] said he saw and pointed out to these reporters the man who had given him the above literature and the reporters interviewed him, at which time the man identified himself as GLENN HATMAKER, owner of three taxi cabs at LaFollette. [redacted] described HATMAKER as a white male, age 30-35, height about 5'10", weight about 200 pounds, stocky build, brown hair, dressed in a brown felt hat, brown trousers, and a light green short-sleeved sport shirt.

[redacted] recalled that upon interview by the above newspaper reporters, HATMAKER admitted he had been passing out the above literature in opposition to Senator KEFAUVER, but denied he was officially connected with Senator KEFAUVER'S opponent, Judge ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR and also denied knowing it was against state and Federal laws to distribute unlabeled political literature.

[redacted] went on to say that he remembered seeing HATMAKER at Jacksboro, Tennessee, prior to the KEFAUVER caravan's arrival at LaFollette earlier on the morning of July 21, 1960, and at that time HATMAKER was driving his Jeep bearing TAYLOR stickers and was accompanied by an unidentified man. His attention was drawn to HATMAKER at Jacksboro because HATMAKER'S Jeep was blocking Senator KEFAUVER'S car in such a manner as to

prevent KEFAUVER'S car from joining the rest of the caravan and it was necessary for one of the occupants of the KEFAUVER vehicle to ask HATMAKER to move his Jeep in order that the Senator's car could proceed. [redacted] described the unidentified man accompanying HATMAKER on that occasion as a white male, age 20-odd, height about 5'10", weight about 175 pounds, brown hair, crew cut style, wearing a sport shirt, slacks and no hat. He said he believed that the man in KEFAUVER'S car, who had asked HATMAKER to move his Jeep was Mr. C. H. RUSSELL, a KEFAUVER supporter who owns the hotel at LaFollette and who remarked at the time that the occupant of the Jeep was a LaFollette bootlegger.

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On July 23, 1960, Mr. MILTON BRITTEN, 6908 Strathmore Street, Chevy Chase, Maryland, a correspondent for Scripps-Howard newspapers, including the Knoxville News-Sentinel, advised he has been touring with Senator KEFAUVER'S campaign caravan throughout East Tennessee during recent days and that he was with the KEFAUVER Party at Jacksboro, Tennessee, and LaFollette, Tennessee, on July 21, 1960. Mr. BRITTEN said he personally did not observe anyone passing out or distributing unlabeled political literature at LaFollette or elsewhere.

Mr. BRITTEN stated that, sometime during the afternoon of July 21, while the party was at Sunbright, Tennessee, he learned that [redacted] a member of the Senator's party, had been handed a piece of unlabeled anti-KEFAUVER political literature by a man at LaFollette, Tennessee, and it was decided that BRITTEN and two other newspaper reporters accompanying the caravan should return with [redacted] to LaFollette in order to identify the man who had passed out the above literature, with a view to interviewing him. b6 b7C

BRITTEN stated he, Mr. DAVID HALBERSTAM of the Nashville Tennessean, and Mr. SPRINGER GIBSON of the Chattanooga Times, accompanied by [redacted] went back to LaFollette where NEESE pointed out a man who later identified himself as GLENN HATMAKER as the individual who had been observed by [redacted] earlier that day passing out the above literature and who had handed a piece of such literature to [redacted] on the street in LaFollette.

Mr. BRITTEN said that when they located HATMAKER he was near his Jeep which bore numerous "TAYLOR for Senate" posters on it.

Mr. BRITTEN said that in answer to questions from him and the other newspaper men, HATMAKER claimed he had

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found a few of the unlabeled political literature in his Jeep two or three weeks ago, did not know where they came from or who paid for them, and had passed them out of his own volition because he was opposed to the re-election of Senator KEFAUVER and instead favored the election of ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR. He further said HATMAKER claimed that he was unaware that state and Federal laws prohibited the distribution of unsigned campaign literature. He said HATMAKER denied he had any official connection with TAYLOR'S campaign headquarters and insisted he had passed out the above literature of his own accord.

Mr. BRITTEN described HATMAKER as a white male, age 40, stocky build, ruddy complexion, small features, and dressed in a brown felt hat and a short-sleeved sport shirt. He said HATMAKER identified himself as the owner of three taxi cabs at LaFollette.

Mr. BRITTEN said he does not believe that he retained the original notes covering these interviews with Mr. HATMAKER, but would search for them and if located would retain them as possible evidence.

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On July 23, 1960, Mr. DAVID HALBERSTAM, a reporter for the Nashville Tennessean, advised he has been touring East Tennessee with Senator ESTES KEFAUVER as a member of the Senator's campaign caravan and has been covering the Senator's tour for his newspaper, the Nashville Tennessean, in his capacity as a reporter. HALBERSTAM stated he was with the caravan at LaFollette, Tennessee, on the morning of July 21, but that he did not observe anyone distributing unlabeled campaign literature at LaFollette.

Mr. HALBERSTAM said that after the caravan left LaFollette and had arrived at Sunbright, Tennessee, on the afternoon of July 21, he learned from other members of the party that [redacted] one of Senator KEFAUVER'S assistants on the tour, had been handed a piece of unlabeled anti-KEFAUVER literature by a man at LaFollette and it was decided that [redacted] and three newspaper reporters accompanying the caravan would return to LaFollette in an effort to locate and identify the man who had handed [redacted] this literature. Mr. HALBERSTAM stated he, Mr. MILTON BRITTEN of the Scripps-Howard newspapers, and Mr. SPRINGER GIBSON of the Chattanooga Times, accompanied by [redacted] returned to LaFollette, arriving late on the afternoon of July 21. He said at LaFollette, [redacted] saw and pointed out the man who had handed him the above literature and this man was interviewed by the above newspaper reporters, at which time he identified himself as GLENN HATMAKER, the owner of three taxi cabs at LaFollette. He said HATMAKER admitted he was a supporter of Senator KEFAUVER'S opponent, Judge ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR and that he opposed Senator KEFAUVER'S re-election because of KEFAUVER'S stand on Communist issues. He said HATMAKER'S Jeep and three taxi cabs all bore TAYLOR signs, stickers, and pictures.

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He said that HATMAKER, upon interview, stated he did not know where the leaflets came from, that he had found them in his Jeep and he did not know whether they had been placed there by TAYLOR officials in this area. HALBERSTAM stated HATMAKER claimed he did not know it was a violation of state and Federal laws to distribute unsigned political literature. Further, HATMAKER denied he held any official connection with the TAYLOR organization and claimed he opposed KEFAUVER because of "all this Communist thing and because I understand he voted for all those Hungarians and Russians to come here and take jobs from our boys".

Mr. HALBERSTAM said that, when interviewed, HATMAKER claimed he did not have any more of the unlabeled anti-KEFAUVER sheets. He said HATMAKER first claimed he only had four or five pieces of the literature, but when it was pointed out to him he had been observed by [redacted] passing out numerous pieces of such literature, HATMAKER admitted he had had several pieces of the literature, but claimed he did not know their source as he had merely found them in his Jeep and he had passed them out because they coincided with his views opposing Senator KEFAUVER'S re-election. b6 b7C

Mr. HALBERSTAM made available the original notes concerning his interview with HATMAKER and same are being retained in the Knoxville file.

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On July 23, 1960, Mr. AL CLIFT, Post Office Box 481, Athens, Tennessee, a wholesale lumber distributor, advised that he has served as tour director of Senator ESTES KEFAUVER'S campaign tour throughout East Tennessee and was present with the Senator's party at LaFollette, Tennessee, on July 21.

Mr. CLIFT advised he did not personally observe any person passing out unlabeled anti-KEFAUVER political literature at LaFollette or elsewhere, but that, at LaFollette, on the morning of July 21, [redacted] a member of the KEFAUVER caravan in the capacity of sound truck driver, handed to Mr. CLIFT a white sheet of paper, stationery size, which stated "Why was it our Tennessee Senator was the only U. S. Senator to vote against the bill to outlaw the Communist Party in this country?" and which bore the slogan "Vote American and vote for Andrew "Tip" Taylor for U. S. Senator". Mr. CLIFT said [redacted] told him the above piece of literature was handed to him by a man on the street in LaFollette.

Mr. CLIFT advised that he placed the above sheet of paper in his pocket and when the party reached Oneida, Tennessee, he found an opportunity to tell Senator KEFAUVER of the incident and gave Senator KEFAUVER the piece of literature which young [redacted] had been handed. He said Senator KEFAUVER commented on it in a speech at that place and, thereby the newspaper men accompanying the KEFAUVER campaign learned of the literature having been distributed at LaFollette and sensing a story had decided to return to LaFollette with [redacted] in an effort to locate and interview the man who had given [redacted] this piece of literature.

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On July 23, 1960, Senator ESTES KEFAUVER was interviewed concerning unlabeled political literature reportedly passed out on July 21, 1960, at LaFollette, Tennessee, copy of which was handed to [redacted] a member of his party, by a man later identified as GLENN HATMAKER, a LaFollette taxi cab operator. b6 b7C

Senator KEFAUVER advised he had not seen HATMAKER in the act of passing out literature, nor in possession of any such literature, but had observed a man who was identified to him as GLENN HATMAKER, a LaFollette bootlegger, earlier on the morning of July 21, 1960, at Jacksboro, Tennessee. At this time, he observed HATMAKER and another man in a Jeep bearing numerous posters in support of Judge ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR, Senator KEFAUVER'S opponent, which Jeep appeared to be deliberately blocking the car in which Senator KEFAUVER was riding, making it necessary for Mr. C. H. RUSSELL, an occupant of the KEFAUVER car, to ask HATMAKER to move his Jeep.

Senator KEFAUVER said that, on July 21, 1960, at LaFollette, his tour director, Mr. AL CLIFT, had passed on to him a white mimeographed sheet of unlabeled political literature apparently issued by supporters of his opponent, Judge ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR, which sheets reportedly were being passed out on the streets of LaFollette on July 21, 1960, by a man later identified by newspapermen as GLENN HATMAKER, one copy of which literature had been handed by HATMAKER to [redacted] a member of the KEFAUVER party who had later pointed out HATMAKER as the man who had given it to him.

Senator KEFAUVER voluntarily turned over to Agents PARKER and SLAYDEN the original piece of literature involved in the above incident, stating that this was the same sheet which had been given him by AL CLIFT, his tour director, who had received it from [redacted] It is noted that this piece of literature reads as follows:

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"Ask yourself this question when you go to vote. ...Why was it our Tennessee Senator was the only U. S. Senator to vote against the bill to outlaw the Communist Party in this country????? Vote American and vote for Andrew "Tip" Taylor for U. S. Senator"

The above item has been forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for appropriate document examinations.

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Mr. CHARLES H. RUSSELL, owner of Russell Hotel, LaFollette, Tennessee, who identified himself as a member of the Kefauver-for-Senate Committee and as a member of the Claiborne County Democratic Primary Board, stated that Senator ESTES KEFAUVER and his campaign party visited Campbell County on Thursday, July 21, 1960; were greeted by a number of local supporters at Jacksboro, the county seat, where a motorcade of automobiles was formed for the drive into LaFollette. He advised that he was a passenger in the same automobile occupied by Senator KEFAUVER, a Cadillac owned and driven by Mr. CLYDE PENNINGTON of LaFollette, which was also occupied by [redacted] and Senator KEFAUVER'S female secretary, name unknown, both of whom were members of the Senator's party.

Mr. RUSSELL related that the motorcade had formed on the west side of the county courthouse at Jacksboro and, as it began to pull out for the trip from Jacksboro to LaFollette, a Jeep occupied by two men pulled in front of Mr. PENNINGTON'S Cadillac blocking it so that it could not follow the lead cars of the motorcade which had already started out. Mr. RUSSELL advised that this Jeep contained numerous posters and stickers of Judge ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR, who is Senator KEFAUVER'S principal opponent for the Democratic nomination to the U. S. Senate in the Democratic Primary Election of August 4, 1960.

Mr. RUSSELL stated that he recognized the Jeep driver as one GLENN (COON) HATMAKER, a taxi cab operator and bootlegger of LaFollette, Tennessee. He stated that he recognized the other occupant of the Jeep as one ORICK (FNU), an associate of HATMAKER, who resides at 110 Beech St., LaFollette. Mr. RUSSELL said that the Jeep occupied by the above two men reportedly is owned by Mr. HATMAKER.

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Mr. RUSSELL said that the action of HATMAKER and ORICK in blocking Senator KEFAUVER'S car with the Jeep appeared to be deliberate, and he suspected that it was done for the purpose of harassing the KEFAUVER supporters comprising the motorcade. Mr. RUSSELL stated that both he and Mr. PENNINGTON asked HATMAKER to move his Jeep, but both HATMAKER and ORICK merely grinned and said nothing. He advised that, after what appeared to be five minutes, Senator KEFAUVER politely asked HATMAKER to move the Jeep in order that they could proceed with the motorcade and HATMAKER did so.

Thereafter, the KEFAUVER motorcade drove into LaFollette where Senator KEFAUVER visited the LaFollette Shirt Factory and walked down the streets shaking hands and speaking to persons whom he met.

Subsequent to the departure of Senator KEFAUVER and his party from LaFollette, information reached Mr. RUSSELL to the effect that GLENN (COON) HATMAKER had been passing out anti-KEFAUVER literature on the street at about the time that KEFAUVER was in town. Mr. RUSSELL stated that he did not personally observe HATMAKER engaged in distributing such literature but understands from newspaper accounts of the matter subsequently published that the literature was not labeled as to its source or origin. He advised that Mr. CLYDE WILLIAMS, local manager of the KEFAUVER-for-Senate Office has a copy of the political literature reportedly similar to that distributed by HATMAKER. He said that he knows of no one who actually witnessed HATMAKER passing out the literature.

Mr. RUSSELL stated that GLENN (COON) HATMAKER operates three or four taxi cabs at LaFollette and is a notorious bootlegger, having been convicted of bootlegging at the last term of court. He stated that HATMAKER is a close friend of JEROME TEMPLETON, campaign manager for ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR in the Second Congressional District of Tennessee. He advised that Mr. TEMPLETON is an attorney now practicing in Knoxville but formerly lived and practiced law at LaFollette, and it was a well known fact that TEMPLETON, a heavy drinker, was kept supplied with whiskey by HATMAKER.

Mr. RUSSELL further stated that members of the TAYLOR-for-Senate Committee in LaFollette include Mr. KOLO DAVIS of the Davis Building Co., Mr. CARLOCK MYERS of the Gay Service Co. (realtors), and Mr. SAM STRANGE, JR., the Police Commissioner of LaFollette. Mr. RUSSELL had no information indicating that the above literature originated with any of these individuals.

Mr. RUSSELL volunteered that the KEFAUVER-for-Senate Committee of Campbell County consisted of himself, W. D. QUEENER, BOBBY QUEENER, JOHN DYCHE, R. J. ALLEN and JOHN M. McCLOUD, and that the manager of KEFAUVER'S campaign in the Second Congressional District is Mr. FRANK W. WILSON, attorney, Oak Ridge, Tennessee. Mr. RUSSELL went on to relate that, separate and apart from the above literature allegedly distributed by HATMAKER, he had received information that a Mr. CHARLES E. HEATER had been handed a printed card bearing malicious allegations alleging that Senator KEFAUVER was anti-Christian and a Communist, which card was unlabeled and reportedly had been passed out with others at the American Legion Hall a month or so ago.

Mr. RUSSELL advised that the only two printing establishments in LaFollette are the LaFollette Publishing Co., publishers of the "LaFollette Press" of which GUY EASTERLY is editor, and the Woodward Printing Co., operated by J. G. WOODWARD in a small shop in a building owned by Mr. KOLO DAVIS, who is a member of the TAYLOR-for-Senate Committee.

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Mr. JAMES CLYDE WILLIAMS, aka CLYDE, 600 East Ash St., Post Office Box 301, LaFollette, Tennessee, advised that he is serving as an office worker in the KEFAUVER-for-Senate Campaign Headquarters Office at LaFollette. He identified himself as an unemployed merchant seaman and a former prison guard.

Mr. WILLIAMS turned over to Special Agents PARKER and SHRIDER one copy of a white mimeographed sheet, 8½ inches by 11 inches in size, which he advised was given to him 7/21/60 by EARL STRANGE, an employee of the Leader Department Store, LaFollette, who is a brother of SAM STRANGE, JR., LaFollette Police Commissioner and member of the TAYLOR-for-Senate Committee. Mr. WILLIAMS said that, in handing this piece of literature to him, STRANGE smilingly said, "I saved this a-purpose for you", but did not say where he had obtained it. Mr. WILLIAMS advised that he understood that this piece of literature was identical to those which had been passed out on the street by GLENN (COON) HATMAKER on 7/21/60. He said he knows STRANGE to be a TAYLOR supporter.

The above piece of literature furnished by Mr. WILLIAMS, which was observed to be unlabeled as to its source or origin, was signed and initialed by WILLIAMS for identification purposes and is being retained in the Knoxville file as possible evidence. This item, which appears to have been prepared on a mimeograph machine, reads as follows:

"Ask yourself
this question
when you go to vote

...Why was it our Tennessee
Senator was the only U. S. Senator
to vote against the bill to outlaw
the Communist Party in this country
?????

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"Vote American
and vote for
ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR
for
U. S. Senator"

Mr. WILLIAMS said he has no information other than the above concerning the unlabeled political literature allegedly distributed by GLENN (COON) HATMAKER, knows of no other persons who received such literature from HATMAKER and has no idea as to where the literature may have been printed.

In addition to the foregoing, Mr. WILLIAMS advised that on June 23, 1960, he was at the American Legion Hut on West Beech Street in LaFollette, in company with one ARCH HOUSLEY, and observed one ARTHUR COLE passing out printed cards captioned "Are You Stupid?", the wording of which contained derogatory statements concerning Senator ESTES KEFAUVER and opposed his re-election to the Senate. WILLIAMS related that he arrived at the American Legion Hut after ARTHUR COLE had apparently distributed some of the above cards, but WILLIAMS did observe COLE hand one of these cards to HOUSLEY. Whereupon, WILLIAMS, seeing that COLE still had some of the cards in his hand, asked COLE for one of the cards, but COLE said he only had a few of them and refused to give one to WILLIAMS. WILLIAMS said COLE was aware of his position as manager of the KEFAUVER Campaign Office.

WILLIAMS said he did not believe any other persons present witnessed COLE'S act in handing the card to HOUSLEY. He recalled that BILL LOWE and Dr. GARDNER, a dentist, were among the few in attendance at the Legion Hut on that occasion but does not know if any of them received cards.

Mr. WILLIAMS identified ARTHUR COLE as an elderly insurance man who is widely known as a "states' righter" and strong segregationist on the racial issue and who is pro-TAYLOR and anti-KEFAUVER in the current campaign. He added that COLE is a member of the American Legion and has held an office in that organization in the past.

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WILLIAMS said that he had arranged for ARCH HOUSLEY to turn over the above-mentioned card for evidence in that it appears to be an item of unlabeled political literature falling within the purview of the Federal Laws.

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Mr. EARL F. STRANGE, 403 East Elm Street, LaFollette, sales clerk employed at the Leader Store, identified the white mimeographed sheet beginning "Ask yourself this question .....", previously furnished to Special Agents PARKER and SHRIDER by Mr. JAMES CLYDE WILLIAMS who said it had been given to him by STRANGE, as the same or a similar piece of literature to that which he had given WILLIAMS on the afternoon of 7/21/60. Mr. STRANGE advised that the above piece of literature given by him to WILLIAMS had been handed to him earlier on 7/21/60 by GLENN (COON) HATMAKER in front of the Royal Pool Room and adjacent to HATMAKER'S cab stand on Tennessee Ave. STRANGE said the incident took place at about the time Senator KEFAUVER was walking down Tennessee Ave. shaking hands and greeting people on the street. He estimated the time at approximately 11:30 AM.

Mr. STRANGE said that HATMAKER handed him two copies of the above sheet, one copy of which he later gave to WILLIAMS, but does not recall what he did with the second copy. He said HATMAKER appeared to have several pieces of this literature in his hand but does not know the identity of any other persons to whom HATMAKER distributed it and could furnish the names of no other persons who witnessed HATMAKER handing it to him.

Mr. STRANGE said that he later gave this item to CLYDE WILLIAMS more or less as a joke because he and WILLIAMS have been joshing each other due to the fact WILLIAMS is working for KEFAUVER'S re-election and STRANGE is a TAYLOR supporter.

Mr. STRANGE said that he was unaware that the distribution of unlabeled political literature is a violation of Federal Statutes. He further said he has no idea as to the origin or source of this literature and did not know where it was printed or from whom HATMAKER had received it.

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Mr. ARCH HOUSLEY, 500 East Forest St., LaFollette, Tennessee, who identified himself as a laborer and a disabled war veteran, turned over to Special Agents PARKER and SHRIDER a white printed card measuring 5½ inches by 2½ inches in size which he said had been given to him by ARTHUR COLE at the American Legion Hut in LaFollette on June 23, 1960, in the presence of CLYDE WILLIAMS. This card, which is unlabeled as to source or origin, reads as follows:

"Are You Stupid?

Estes Kefauver thinks you are. And does not hesitate to insult intelligent people. He has voted against the South on every issue and finally refused to cast the one necessary vote to put the Supreme Court in their place. He is an Anti Christ stooge and a one world idiot. If you the people of Tennessee send him back for another 6-year destruction, then you will prove he is correct in considering you stupid!"

It is noted that the words "State of Tennessee", which originally appeared in the printed text of above card, were scratched out and the word "South" handprinted in ink was inserted above them.

Mr. HOUSLEY advised that COLE apparently passed out the above cards to other unrecalled persons at the American Legion Hut on that occasion. He affirmed that CLYDE WILLIAMS had seen COLE hand this card to HOUSLEY and that COLE had declined to give one to WILLIAMS. Mr. HOUSLEY could not remember the identity of other members of American Legion Post #58 who were present on the above evening of 6/23/60, when this incident occurred, but believes that W. F. "BILL" LOWE and Dr. GARDNER, a dentist, were among those in attendance; however, he did not know if they received cards from COLE. He said there were only 6 or 8 persons in the American Legion Hut at the time that the meeting had begun.

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Mr. HOUSLEY, in surrendering the above card for possible evidence, placed his initials and date on the back thereof and this card is being retained in the Knoxville file.

Mr. HOUSLEY stated that present officers of American Legion Post #58 are RAY ELMORE, Commander, PAUL MILLER, Vice Commander, and BILL DANIELS, Adjutant.

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[redacted], LaFollette, Tennessee, identified himself as a recent college graduate and as the volunteer office manager of the KEFAUVER-for-Senate Headquarters Office at LaFollette, serving on a non-salaried basis. [redacted] advised that he has no information concerning the reported distribution of unlabeled political literature in LaFollette, did not see GLENN HATMAKER pass out any such literature, and knows of no person who received such literature from HATMAKER. He stated that he first learned of the incident involving HATMAKER'S distribution of such literature on 6/21/60 when he heard news reports concerning HATMAKER having been interviewed by newspaper reporters concerning the matter the day after it happened on the local radio station.

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[redacted] said that he has no information concerning anti-KEFAUVER cards reportedly distributed by ARTHUR COLE at the American Legion Hut in LaFollette and that all information which he has pertaining to any such literature came to him second hand.

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BOBBY QUEENER, owner of Queener Furniture Co., LaFollette, advised that he is a member of the local KEFAUVER-for-Senate Committee and was a participate in the motorcade which escorted Senator KEFAUVER from Jacksboro to LaFollette on the morning of 7/21/60. He advised that he was in the third card behind the Cadillac occupied by Senator KEFAUVER as the motorcade lined up and pulled out of Jacksboro. He was an eye witness to the incident where GLENN (COON) HATMAKER blocked Senator KEFAUVER'S car with his Jeep bearing TAYLOR posters.

QUEENER advised that he observed HATMAKER and a man named ORICK in HATMAKER'S Jeep and that ORICK had a number of white sheets of paper in his hand while sitting in the jeep. QUEENER said he suspected that this was TAYLOR literature, but he did not see HATMAKER or ORICK distribute any of it and could not identify it.

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Mr. PARIS CADDELL, employee of Queener Furniture Co., LaFollette, Tenn., advised that, on approximately Monday, 7/18/60, or Tuesday, 7/19/60, he was walking down Tennessee Ave. in LaFollette and passed the Royal Pool Hall, in front of which GLENN (COON) HATMAKER maintains his taxi cab stand, when HATMAKER handed him two pieces of literature urging the election of TAYLOR to the U. S. Senate. He recalled that HATMAKER remarked, "Here, I want you to take these home and read them." Mr. CADDELL said that he glanced at the literature, saw that it was pro-TAYLOR and anti-KEFAUVER, and threw it away without reading it as he is a KEFAUVER sympathizer. Mr. CADDELL advised that he did not notice whether or not the literature handed him by HATMAKER bore identifying wording as to its source or origin, nor could he testify concerning its content.

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AUSTIN HARMON, Chief of Police, LaFollette, Tennessee, advised that he has heard reports of unlabeled political literature in opposition to Senator ESTES KEFAUVER having been distributed by GLENN (COON) HATMAKER at LaFollette and had read about such matter in the newspapers; however, Chief HARMON said that he has no first hand information concerning the matter, did not see HATMAKER passing out any such literature and has received no information as to the source or origin of such literature.

Chief HARMON went on to say that he has no information concerning printed cards of an anti-KEFAUVER nature reportedly passed out by ARTHUR B. COLE at the American Legion Hut in LaFollette.

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Mr. GUY EASTERLY, editor and publisher of the "LaFollette Press" and owner of the LaFollette Publishing Co., was shown samples of both items of unlabeled political literature allegedly distributed at LaFollette and advised that it had not been printed in his shop, and he did not know the source thereof. The items exhibited to Mr. EASTERLY were the 8½ inch by 11 inch white mimeographed sheet beginning "Ask yourself this question...." and the 2½ inch by 5½ inch white printed card captioned "Are You Stupid?".

Mr. EASTERLY advised that the only other printer in LaFollette is Mr. J. G. WOODWARD, the son of a former county judge who operates a shop upstairs over a barber shop in a building owned by Mr. KOLO DAVIS. He advised that the only other printing establishment in Campbell County is a small shop in Jellico operated by a Mr. TATE and known as the Jellico Printing Co.

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On July 28, 1960, Miss PHYLLIS WRIGHT, Office Manager, Home Beneficial Life Insurance Company, advised she has no first hand information concerning the distribution or publication of unsigned campaign literature at LaFollette.

She stated, however, she had recently discussed this matter with GUY EASTERLY, Editor of the LaFollette Press, and that Mr. EASTERLY had mentioned to her that "one of those fellows up the street" had brought some unsigned literature to him and requested a quantity of the literature be reproduced. She stated Mr. EASTERLY had informed her he had refused to print the material and had indicated to the person who brought it that the printing of unsigned campaign literature is a violation of Federal law.

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GUY EASTERLY, Editor of the LaFollette Press, advised that around two weeks ago ROY HATMAKER, a local taxi owner, had brought a specimen of campaign literature to him and requested he print a quantity of the specimen.

Mr. EASTERLY stated he immediately recognized it as being identical with literature which was circularized on behalf of Mr. WALL, who opposed Senator KEFAUVER in the 1954 Senatorial Campaign. Mr. EASTERLY stated the text of the specimen may be identical with one of the pieces of campaign literature which was exhibited to him earlier by Agents and was identified to him as being campaign literature being distributed in the current Senatorial Race. He advised, however, he is certain the specimen brought to him by HATMAKER is not in the same form as the specimen exhibited to him by Agents.

Mr. EASTERLY stated he refused to print the specimen when he noticed it was unsigned. He advised he exhibited to Mr. HATMAKER a copy of the Federal law which prohibits the printing of unsigned campaign literature in a Federal election.

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Mr. JESSE G. WOODWARD, Woodward's Printing Service, was shown both samples of items of the unlabeled political literature allegedly distributed in LaFollette and stated that it was not printed in his shop. He commented that the 8½ inch by 11 inch sheet beginning "Ask yourself this question....." appears to have been mimeographed after being prepared by a letter guide, and that the 2½ inch by 5½ inch white card appeared to have been printed by means of a letter press.

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Mr. WOODWARD volunteered that [redacted] [redacted] a niece of GLENN HATMAKER, works in WOODWARD'S shop part time, but he said he had no information concerning the source, origin or distribution of any of the above unlabeled literature and was positive that it had not been printed in his shop.

LEONARD HEMBREE, an employee of Mr. WOODWARD, supported Mr. WOODWARD in his statement that the above literature had not been printed by them.

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Mr. WILLIAM HARVEY CHAPMAN, aka WILLIE, night Chief of Police, LaFollette Police Department, advised that he was standing around in front of the police station with a group of men on Sunday evening, 7/24/60, and they were discussing the incident involving the alleged distribution of unlabeled political literature by GLENN HATMAKER. He recalled that persons in the crowd included LLOYD ORICK, HENRY H. SUTTON, O. D. FORD, FRED COX, R. V. HODGE and BILL GOTHARD.

Mr. CHAPMAN said that, in the course of the above discussion concerning the political literature, LLOYD ORICK made the statement, in effect, "I went with GLENN up there to get the circulars." CHAPMAN recalled that someone else in the crowd asked, "Where? To CARLOCK MYERS'?". ORICK replied, "Yeah."

CHAPMAN said that the individual referred to by ORICK as GLENN in the above quoted statement was GLENN (COON) HATMAKER.

Mr. CHAPMAN said there was no question in his mind but that the "circulars" referred to by ORICK, above, were the same pieces of unlabeled political literature which HATMAKER admitted passing out but the source of which he declined to divulge to newspaper reporters who interviewed him.

Mr. CHAPMAN said, however, he did not know whether ORICK meant he and HATMAKER had gone to MYERS' office or to his home but got the impression from what ORICK said that they had gone to MYERS' home to pick up the literature.

Mr. CHAPMAN said he would testify, concerning above statement made by ORICK, before a Federal Grand Jury if subpoenaed to do so.

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Mr. CHAPMAN said that FRED COX, a night policeman, told him that GLENN HATMAKER had given him one of the sheets of political literature the day before Senator KEFAUVER visited in LaFollette.

Mr. CHAPMAN said he has no further information pertaining to the origin and distribution of unlabeled political literature.

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ROOSEVELT HODGE, Patrolman, LaFollette Police Department, advised that, on July 24, 1960, he and several other men were sitting in front of the police department headquarters at LaFollette and were discussing the newspaper article which had appeared in a Knoxville, Tennessee, newspaper and had made reference to GLENN HATMAKER having distributed some unlabeled campaign literature. He advised that among those present was LLOYD ORICK. He stated that he recalls ORICK making the statement that he and GLENN HATMAKER had gone to CARLOCK MYERS' and had obtained the campaign literature from MYERS.

Mr. HODGE stated he can recall no other specific reference by ORICK or by anyone else to the literature or the incident.

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JOHN LLOYD ORICK, aka LLOYD ORICK, 110 East Beech Street, LaFollette, Tennessee, advised that he is presently unemployed but has worked most of his life as a coal miner and laborer and returned to LaFollette some four or five weeks ago from Chicago where he had been working for the past year. He further advised that he once drove a taxi cab for ROY HATMAKER, the brother of GLENN (COON) HATMAKER, and acknowledged that he is a close friend and associate of both HATMAKERS.

Mr. ORICK, at the outset of this interview, was advised of the nature of this investigation and was told that he did not have to make any statement, that anything he did say could be used against him in a court of law, and that he was entitled to consult an attorney.

Mr. ORICK was shown the copy of the white mimeographed 8½ inch by 11 inch sheet beginning "Ask yourself this question .....", and he stated that he had one just like it at his home having picked it up around HATMAKER'S taxi cab stand or having taken it out of GLENN HATMAKER'S Jeep. He also said that it appeared to be similar to a stack of literature he had seen in GLENN HATMAKER'S Jeep and estimated that the stack he had observed in the Jeep would measure 6 or 8 inches in height.

Mr. ORICK claimed that he is a KEFAUVER supporter but admitted that he had accompanied GLENN (COON) HATMAKER and had assisted HATMAKER tacking up TAYLOR campaign signs and posters. He said he received no pay for such services and did not believe that HATMAKER was being paid. He said he did not know who had recruited HATMAKER to perform such services.

Mr. ORICK acknowledged that he was present with GLENN HATMAKER in the latter's Jeep at Jacksboro, Tennessee, on the morning of 7/21/60 when Senator ESTES KEFAUVER and his campaign party were preparing to leave Jacksboro via motorcade for LaFollette. Mr. ORICK

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claimed that he and HATMAKER had gone to LaFollette for the purpose of attending a trial in which Sheriff ROSE KITTS was charged with failure to account for confiscated whiskey but that the trial had been postponed.

Mr. ORICK denied that he was holding any political literature in his hand while riding or sitting in HATMAKER'S Jeep in Jacksboro on 7/21/60, and he further denied that the Jeep deliberately blocked Senator KEFAUVER'S Cadillac as has been alleged.

Mr. ORICK denied that he had passed out any political literature. He did say that sheets similar to the one shown him, above, were passed out at LaFollette on Saturday two weeks ago and that the distribution took place on Tennessee Avenue in front of the Royal Pool Hall, but ORICK refused to say who passed out this literature. He said GLENN HATMAKER'S cab stand is located immediately in front of above pool hall. He refused to say that HATMAKER was the one who had passed out this literature and claimed that he did not recall to whom the literature was given or who might have witnessed the distribution of literature. He claimed he did not know by whom this literature had been printed. He was asked if he knew the source from which GLENN (COON) HATMAKER had obtained this literature, and at this point in the interview ORICK said that he had not identified HATMAKER as the person who had passed out the literature. It was pointed out to ORICK that he had admitted having seen the literature in HATMAKER'S Jeep, and he then replied that he could not be certain that what he had seen in HATMAKER'S Jeep was identical with the literature in question as the printed side of the literature observed by him in HATMAKER'S Jeep had been turned face down.

ORICK was asked, "Do you know from whom HATMAKER obtained the literature which you saw in his Jeep?" He refused to answer this question saying he would not state whether he did or did not know the source of the literature, and at this point indicated he did not desire to discuss the matter further.

ORICK said he did not want to make any enemies due to the fact that he had to live and work in LaFollette and that he would rather not discuss the matter with the Agents. He stated he was undecided whether or not he would testify before a Federal Grand Jury concerning this matter

if subpoenaed to do so. He acknowledged that he had read HATMAKER'S statement concerning this matter in local newspapers and commented, "So far as I am concerned what HATMAKER said is true."

JOHN LLOYD ORICK said that he was born March 17, 1918, in Campbell County, is 5 feet, 11½ inches in height, weighs 175 pounds, and has a seventh grade education. He was observed to have hazel eyes, short brown wavy hair, a ruddy complexion, a stocky build, and the thumb and little finger of his left hand are amputated. ORICK said he is unmarried and makes his home with his father, W. M. ORICK, at 110 East Beech St., LaFollette.

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Mr. HENRY H. SUTTON, 610 East Ash Street, LaFollette, Tennessee, former Chief of Police at LaFollette and former Sheriff of Campbell County, who is also a retired detective for L & N Railroad, advised that he was with a group of men outside the police station at LaFollette on Sunday evening, 7/24/60, at which time the topic under discussion concerned the unlabeled political literature which had been distributed, allegedly by GLENN (COON) HATMAKER, on the day Senator KEFAUVER visited LaFollette, which was 7/21/60. Mr. SUTTON recalled that others present in the group on Sunday night, 7/24/60, were WILLIE CHAPMAN, the night Chief of Police, BILL GOTHARD, a coal mine operator, LLOYD ORICK, and two or three police officers whose names he does not recall.

Mr. SUTTON related that, during the above discussion concerning the political literature, LLOYD ORICK made the statement that he had gone with GLENN HATMAKER to CARLOCK MYERS and got the literature. He said ORICK did not indicate whether they had gone to MYERS' home or office but that it was clear that ORICK referred to the literature which HATMAKER had been accused of distributing and which he admitted distributing in interviews with newspaper reporters as printed in the "Knoxville News-Sentinel" and other newspapers. He said ORICK did not say when they had gone to MYERS' place to obtain this literature. Mr. SUTTON identified LLOYD ORICK as the brother of a LaFollette policeman known to him as "SHERIFF" ORICK and as the son of W. M. ORICK who resides at 110 Beach Street.

Mr. SUTTON identified CARLOCK MYERS as a LaFollette real estate man who is in partnership with one R. A. SHARP and who resides approximately one mile from the city limits on the Middlesboro Highway. He stated that MYERS' office is located in the Fleet Oil Building and that he is engaged in business under the name of the Gay Service Co.

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Subsequently, on 7/26/60 Mr. SUTTON accompanied Special Agents PARKER and SHRIDER to the residence of LLOYD ORICK, 110 East Beech St. and confronted LLOYD ORICK in the presence of these Agents as the individual who had made the above statement in SUTTON'S presence Sunday night, 7/24/60, in front of the LaFollette Police Department. ORICK was then asked if he had stated in Mr. SUTTON'S presence that he and GLENN HATMAKER had gotten the political literature in question from CARLOCK MYERS. LLOYD ORICK first denied making such a statement and then said he did not desire to discuss the matter further and walked back into his house, terminating the interview. ORICK'S father, W. M. ORICK, and another man, unidentified, were sitting on the front porch of the ORICK residence within possible earshot of the above conversation.

Mr. SUTTON stated that he would testify before a Federal Grand Jury concerning the statement made by ORICK on the night of 7/24/60 to the effect that he had accompanied GLENN HATMAKER to CARLOCK MYERS' place to pick up the above literature.

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Mr. GLENN (NMN) HATMAKER, aka "COON", Route 3, Jellico Highway, LaFollette, Tenn., who identified himself as a taxi cab operator, was advised by Special Agents PARKER and SHRIDER that they desired to interview him concerning reports that he had distributed unlabeled political literature and that this was an official investigation being conducted to determine if there had been a violation of Section 612, Title 18, U. S. Code. HATMAKER was advised that he did not have to make any statement but that anything he said could be used against him in a court of law and that he was entitled to consult an attorney. HATMAKER indicated an understanding of these matters.

HATMAKER was shown a copy of the 8½ inch by 11 inch white mimeographed sheet beginning "Ask yourself this question.....", and he indicated it is identical in appearance and wording to certain pieces of literature which he had passed out on the streets of LaFollette. He acknowledged that he had been interviewed by newspaper reporters after being identified by a young man [redacted] to whom he allegedly had handed one of these sheets at about the time Senator KEFAUVER was visiting in LaFollette on 7/21/60, and HATMAKER said that the statements he had made to the press were true and accurate and that he had no further information to furnish.

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HATMAKER admitted that he had handed out this piece of literature to [redacted] and further admitted that he had passed out a few other copies of the same literature. He said that he had found approximately 10 or 15 pieces of such literature in his Jeep but claimed he does not know who put it there or where it came from. He said his Jeep, on which he had placed several signs advertising the candidacy of Judge ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR for U. S. Senate, had been left parked at various places on the streets of LaFollette and that anyone could have placed this literature in his Jeep. He claimed he first noticed it in his Jeep on 7/21/60 and started passing it out to persons on the street because he was opposed to the re-election of Senator KEFAUVER and the literature coincided with his point of view.

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HATMAKER said that he did not know it was a violation of any law to distribute unlabeled political literature until he was accosted by newspaper reporters on the evening of 7/21/60 and advised of this fact.

HATMAKER said that he had obtained the TAYLOR-for-Senate posters and signs, but no literature, from Mr. CARLOCK MYERS of LaFollette, who he believes is a member of TAYLOR'S local campaign committee, but denied that he was actually employed to work in behalf of Judge TAYLOR or that he was being paid for his services. He denied that CARLOCK MYERS had given him the above-mentioned unlabeled literature. He admitted that LLOYD ORICK had assisted him in tacking up some of the TAYLOR posters but said he had not paid ORICK anything for his services.

HATMAKER stated that he is acquainted with Mr. JEROME TEMPLETON, a Knoxville attorney formerly of LaFollette who is TAYLOR'S campaign manager for Second Congressional District, but denied he had received any literature or other campaign materials from TEMPLETON.

HATMAKER stated he did not desire to discuss the matter further and would only say that he had found above-mentioned literature in his Jeep and did not know where it had come from or who had placed it there. He orally agreed to submit to interview with the polygraph but declined to sign a written agreement to do so.

HATMAKER said that he was born January 20, 1914, at LaFollette, Tenn., is married, has five children and attended school through the sixth grade. He acknowledged that he has been convicted "two or three times" in state court for possessing and selling whiskey. It was observed that HATMAKER had blue eyes, balding brown hair, ruddy complexion and a stocky build. He advised that his height is 5'6" and his weight 196 pounds.

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ROY HATMAKER advised he is a brother to GLENN HATMAKER and the two of them operate a taxi cab business in LaFollette.

Mr. HATMAKER advised, after being advised of his rights, he does not feel he has violated any law in connection with his activities in the current political campaign. He advised he has nothing more to say and that he would answer no questions concerning either his activities or the activity of any one else.

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Mr. JEROME TEMPLETON, Attorney, Bank of Knoxville Building, residence - 7113 Hampshire Drive, Knoxville, Tennessee, advised that he is serving as the campaign manager for Judge ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR, in the Second Congressional District of Tennessee, TAYLOR being a candidate for the Democratic nomination to the U. S. Senate subject to the Democratic Primary to be held on August 4, 1960. Mr. TEMPLETON advised that he is a native of Campbell County, Tennessee, and formerly practiced law at LaFollette, Tennessee, in Campbell County, prior to moving to Knoxville some years ago.

Mr. TEMPLETON stated that TAYLOR'S campaign manager for the LaFollette area is Mr. CARLOCK MYERS, who is employed by SAM CLAIBORNE and his brother, owners of the Fleet Oil Company, the home office of which is located at LaFollette. He stated that SAM CLAIBORNE is also a TAYLOR supporter. He added that the other campaign manager in Campbell County is Mr. MAURIE REEVES of Jellico, Tennessee, and that MYERS and REEVES are co-chairmen for TAYLOR'S campaign in the whole of Campbell County.

Mr. TEMPLETON advised that he is well acquainted with GLENN (COON) HATMAKER and his brother, ROY HATMAKER, whom he identified as taxi cab operators and alleged bootleggers at LaFollette, Tennessee. He said that both GLENN and ROY HATMAKER were his friends and would do anything for him, adding that their relationship and obligation went back several years when TEMPLETON had successfully defended ROY HATMAKER, who was tried for the killing of one ED CLARK in approximately 1945 and won an acquittal for HATMAKER. However, Mr. TEMPLETON said that he had not directly hired either GLENN or ROY HATMAKER to work in behalf of ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR but assumed that they had received instructions and literature in TAYLOR'S behalf from Mr. CARLOCK MYERS, TAYLOR'S campaign manager at LaFollette. He did not know if the HATMAKERS were receiving any expense money for their campaign services but, if so, same would have been disbursed to them by Mr. MYERS.

Mr. TEMPLETON was shown a white mimeographed sheet of political literature, measuring 8½" X 11" in size,

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beginning "Ask yourself this question .....", which had been passed out on the streets of LaFollette by GLENN (COON) HATMAKER on July 21, 1960, and Mr. TEMPLETON said he had never seen this item of literature before, had no information as to its source or origin, had not instructed HATMAKER or anyone else to pass out such literature and further said it was not an official piece of literature published or distributed by Judge TAYLOR'S campaign headquarters.

Mr. TEMPLETON recalled that he had received a telephone call from GLENN (COON) HATMAKER in LaFollette sometime last week, possibly on Friday, July 22, 1960, at which time HATMAKER told him, in connection with HATMAKER being confronted by newspaper reporters concerning the distribution of unlabeled literature in behalf of TAYLOR, that HATMAKER had "cut a gut" and hoped that he had not hurt Judge TAYLOR'S cause or embarressed him in the campaign. Mr. TEMPLETON said he was in LaFollette on July 27, 1960, and talked briefly with GLENN HATMAKER, at which time the literature matter was discussed briefly, and HATMAKER told TEMPLETON that he did not know where the literature had come from but that he had merely found it in his Jeep. Mr. TEMPLETON further advised that he was in LaFollette on Saturday, July 23, 1960, in company with Judge ANDREW TAYLOR, who was campaigning there, on which occasion he had seen ROY HATMAKER but had not seen GLENN HATMAKER. TEMPLETON said he had received no information concerning the source or origin of the literature allegedly distributed by GLENN HATMAKER at LaFollette.

Mr. TEMPLETON said that he has not discussed the above literature with CARLOCK MYERS, although he saw MYERS on Saturday, July 23, 1960, at LaFollette and again at Knoxville on Monday, July 25, 1960, when CARLOCK MYERS and SAM CLAIBORNE had come to TAYLOR'S district headquarters and consulted TEMPLETON briefly concerning a newspaper advertisement, which they plan to run at LaFollette in behalf of Judge TAYLOR'S candidacy. TEMPLETON said, however, that MYERS and he did not discuss the matter of the mimeographed literature.

Mr. TEMPLETON said that the TAYLOR-For-Senate campaign headquarters has not distributed any mimeographed literature and has no facilities for mimeographing material.

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He suggested, however, that the Fleet Oil Company at LaFollette, Tennessee, owned by Mr. CLAIBORNE, by which CARLOCK MYERS is employed, probably has mimeographing equipment. When informed that efforts to locate CARLOCK MYERS at LaFollette on July 27, 1960, and July 28, 1960, had been unsuccessful, Mr. TEMPLETON volunteered to place a person-to-person long distance telephone call in an effort to locate MYERS but was unsuccessful in doing so. He subsequently advised, on July 28, 1960, that he had contacted SAM CLAIBORNE, who informed him that MYERS was on a trip through Virginia and West Virginia endeavoring to locate desirable service station sites for the Fleet Oil Company and did not know when MYERS would return.

Mr. TEMPLETON stated that he was previously unaware of the existence of Section 612, Title 18, U. S. Code, prohibiting the publication or distribution of unlabeled political literature.

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Date July 29, 1960

SAM CLAIBORNE advised he owns the Gay Service Company. He advised he employs CARLOCK MYERS in that business and that, at the present time, Mr. MYERS is somewhere in either West Virginia or Virginia attempting to locate land which can be leased or purchased for the construction of service stations. He advised he has no way of contacting Mr. MYERS until his return. He stated Mr. MYERS may return to LaFollette on the weekend beginning July 30, 1960, and may not be back until sometime during the first week in August.

Mr. CLAIBORNE stated he has mimeographing equipment, which he uses in connection with his business. He advised Mr. MYERS would have access to this equipment, could use it at any time, and that he, Mr. CLAIBORNE, would ordinarily have no knowledge as to whether Mr. MYERS had used this equipment or, if so, for what purpose he had used the equipment.

Mr. CLAIBORNE stated he would prefer to answer no questions concerning Mr. MYERS' activities until Mr. MYERS had had an opportunity to answer any questions directed to him.

It is noted that Mr. CLAIBORNE is one of the owners of the Fleet Oil Company, operators of a chain of service stations, of which firm the Gay Service Company is a subsidiary.

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by SA HERBERT E. SHRIDER (emd) Date dictated 7/29/60

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ARTHUR B. COLE advised he is an insurance agent and has been a resident of LaFollette, Tennessee, over fifty years. He stated that he is and, for many years, has been active in local politics in Campbell County. Mr. COLE advised that as a result of this activity he receives much campaign literature from many sources. He advised that in the current senatorial race he is actively supporting ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR. He advised that his activity includes the distribution of some campaign literature. He stated that practically all of the literature which he has distributed has come to him from the TAYLOR campaign headquarters at Nashville. He stated he has not originated any such literature nor has he arranged for the printing of any literature in the current senatorial race.

COLE stated he vaguely recalls seeing a photograph of Senator KEFAUVER shaking hands with a "nigger". He stated he does not recall having distributed any literature which contained this photograph.

Mr. COLE advised he has, for many years, been a friend of RHEA CRAWFORD of Knoxville, Tennessee. He stated that around six weeks ago he was in Mr. CRAWFORD'S office in Knoxville and while there gave him two or three pieces of campaign literature which he had. He advised he could not recall specifically what these pieces of literature were nor where he had obtained them.

A photograph of Senator KEFAUVER shaking hands with a colored man under a caption indicating KEFAUVER attended a meeting of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People at Los Angeles, was exhibited to COLE. He again stated he believes he has seen this photograph before but could not recall the circumstances.

Mr. COLE insisted that if any literature which he had given anyone included a copy of the photograph which was exhibited to him, he could not recall the source

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from which he had obtained it. He stated that he certainly has never had any amount of these photographs and if he had one it must have been a piece of literature which was either given to him or which he received through correspondence.

Mr. COLE stated that he receives a considerable quantity of literature from the office which publishes the "White Sentinel" at Fort Lauderdale, Florida, and the office which publishes the "American Nationalist" at Inglewood, California. He stated he is almost certain, however, that neither of these offices forwarded any photograph of senator KEFAUVER to him.

COLE stated that he occasionally receives literature from EDWARD FIELDS, an official of the National States Rights Party, who resides at Louisville, Kentucky, and it is possible he received a photograph of KEFAUVER attending the NAACP meeting in Los Angeles from FIELDS, Mr. COLE stressed, however, he could not be certain that he was ever in possession of such a photograph and, if so, its source.

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Date 7/28/60

Mr. CHARLES E. HEATER, age 72, Route 3, West Chestnut St., LaFollette, Tenn., identified himself as a retired machinist from Ohio who has resided in LaFollette for the past few years but who will be moving in the near future to 307 Nave Street, Clinton, Tenn.

Mr. HEATER stated that he is a member of the American Legion and that he attended the meeting of American Legion Post #58 at their meeting place on Beech Street, LaFollette, on the last Thursday night in May 1960 in company with Mr. W. F. "BILL" LOWE, a neighbor who is Past Commander of this post.

Mr. HEATER stated that, at the Legion Hall before the meeting began, he was handed a small printed card captioned "Are You Stupid?" by another man at the Legion Hall whose name he does not know. He described this individual as a white male, age 60 odd, very skinny with a wrinkled face. He was asked if this man's name was ARTHUR B. COLE and replied that he did not know what his name was.

Mr. HEATER, on 7/25/60, made available the above printed card which measures 5½ inches by 2½ inches and placed his initials and date on the back thereof as identification. This card reads as follows:

"Are You Stupid?

Estes Kefauver thinks you are. And does not hesitate to insult intelligent people. He has voted against the South on every issue and finally refused to cast the one necessary vote to put the Supreme Court in their place. He is an Anti Christ stooge and a one world idiot. If you the people of Tennessee send him back for another 6-year destruction, then you will prove he is correct in considering you stupid!"

It is noted that the words "State of Tennessee", which originally appeared in the printed text of above card, were scratched out and the word "South" handprinted in ink was inserted above them.

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Mr. HEATER stated that the man who gave him the above card also passed out similar cards to other persons who were present at the Legion Hall on that night but, not being a native of LaFollette, he does not know or recall the identities of other people present other than Mr. LOWE with whom he had come. He estimated that there were not more than 10 or 12 persons in the meeting altogether. He said the man who handed him the above card appeared to have several such cards in his possession and that he made no comment to Mr. HEATER when he handed him the card.

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Mr. WILLIAM FRANKLIN LOWE, age 71, Route 3, Hawthorne Drive, a retired Army Sergeant and former Past Commander of American Legion Post #58 at LaFollette, recalled the meeting of American Legion on last Thursday night in May to which he took Mr. HEATER where he said there were only six or seven members of the Legion present, including himself, HEATER, ARTHUR COLE, Dr. GARDNER and Judge OTIS MEREDITH.

Mr. LOWE stated that he did not see ARTHUR COLE or anyone else passing out any cards at the Legion Hall, that COLE did not hand any card to him, and that he has no information concerning such matters. He was shown the card turned over to Agents by Mr. HEATER captioned "Are You Stupid?" and said he had never seen such a card before.

Mr. LOWE did advise that ARTHUR COLE some time ago had given him some TAYLOR-for-Senate posters and campaign cards but that he had never passed them out nor put up any of the posters inasmuch as he (LOWE) is a Republican and is not concerned with the Democratic Primary Senatorial race.

Mr. LOWE said that the reason he would not have observed the activity involving the passing out of cards, as described by Mr. HEATER, was that he was engaged in settling a disturbance at the front door of the Legion Hut involving some young veterans who were not members of the Legion and who were endeavoring to enter the meeting for the purpose of participating in the election of officers.

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Mr. ARTHUR BRUCE COLE, an insurance agent whose office is in the Fleet Oil Building, LaFollette, Tennessee, and who resides at 200 Elm St., LaFollette, identified himself as a resident of LaFollette for the past 50 years. He advised that, in addition to his insurance business, he served as manager for the Woodlawn Cemetery at LaFollette. COLE volunteered that he is presently national chairman of the National States' Rights Party and that he is opposed to integration of Negroes, is opposed to "socialistic trends" in the Federal Government and is a supporter of Judge ANDREW TAYLOR and is opposed to Senator ESTES KEFAUVER in the current Senatorial campaign.

At the outset of this interview, Mr. COLE was advised that he was not required to make any statement, that any statements he did make could be used against him in a court of law and that he was entitled to consult an attorney.

Mr. COLE was shown a white printed card measuring 2½ inches by 5½ inches captioned "Are You Stupid?" and beginning "Estes Kefauver thinks you are....". Mr. COLE readily admitted that he had passed out several such cards to his friends and acquaintances in LaFollette but estimated that he had not passed out more than one dozen such cards altogether. He admitted that some of them had been passed out at the American Legion Hall in LaFollette by him.

Mr. COLE asserted that he did not realize that these cards constituted political literature and was not aware of the Federal Statute making it a violation to distribute unlabeled political literature. He acknowledged that the cards which he had distributed were not identified or labeled as to source or origin.

Mr. COLE said he has not been in Knoxville since approximately April 1960. He disclaimed knowing that cards similar to those he admitted passing out in LaFollette had also been distributed in Knoxville, and said, if such was the case, he had had no part in distributing such cards in Knoxville or places other than in LaFollette and denied knowing who had done so.

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When questioned concerning where he had obtained these cards, Mr. COLE said that they had been mailed to him anonymously some two or three months ago, and he had found them in his mail box (Post Office Box 11, LaFollette), addressed to him in a brown envelope bearing first class postage and bearing what he believes was a Knoxville, Tennessee, postmark but with no return address on the envelope.

Mr. COLE stated that the envelope also contained, in addition to the above card, three other printed cards captioned "Communism in the Pulpit!", "White Man Awaken!", and "Communist in the Presbyterian Church!", none of which mention Senator KEFAUVER and none of which had any political significance. He stated they all appeared to have been printed with the same type and on the same kind of paper and that none of them were identified as to their source or origin. He estimated that approximately 25 or 30 of each kind of card described above were contained in the packet received by him as related above.

Mr. COLE made available samples of all four cards and identified the samples captioned "Are you Stupid?" by placing his initials and the date on the reverse side thereof. These sample cards are being retained in the Knoxville file.

It was noted that the card captioned "Are You Stupid" reads in its entirety as follows:

"ARE YOU STUPID?

Estes Kefauver considers you are. And does not hesitate to insult Intelligent people. He has voted against the South on every issue and finally refused to cast the one necessary vote to put Supreme Court in their place. He is an Anti Christ stooge and a one world idiot. If you the people of Tennessee send him back for another 6-year destruction, then you will prove he is correct in considering you stupid!"

It is noted the words "State of Tennessee" had been scratched out of the above text with a pen and the word "South" printed above them.

With respect to this particular card, Mr. COLE advised that, upon opening the above-mentioned envelope in which he had received these cards, he observed that the top card in the bundle of cards captioned "Are You Stupid?" bore typed instructions for him to strike out the words "State of Tennessee" in the second line and substitute the word "South" for it. He said he did this with a fountain pen prior to distributing any of these cards.

When pressed for information as to who might have sent him the above cards from Knoxville, Mr. COLE said that the only persons he could think of who might have done so were Mr. NED DUPES, secretary-treasurer of National States' Rights Party, with whom he is in frequent correspondence and whom he knows to have a typewriter, or a Mrs. ROSA LEE (WADE) KEEVER of 7002 Stockton Drive, West Hills, Knoxville, who is a pro-segregationist and active in anti-Communist and anti-Negro movements. He stated, however, that he had not discussed these cards with either DUPES or Mrs. KEEVER and does not know whether or not either of them sent the cards to him. He did say that on 7/26/60, after learning that Agents of the FBI had been making inquiries concerning his distribution of the above cards, he had written a letter to NED DUPES at Knoxville telling him that he had learned that such cards constituted a violation of the Federal Law and suggesting to DUPES that if he had been distributing any such cards he had better cease doing so and get rid of any cards he had left.

Mr. COLE said that he had no knowledge as to where or by whom these cards might have been printed but volunteered that, if they had originated with NED DUPES, they possibly could have been printed by the same printing shop which does printing for the National States' Rights Party. He said he did not know the identity of this printing shop but that all printing for the National States' Rights Party was handled by Dr. ED FIELDS, a chiropractor, who is national publicity director for the States' Rights Party and who recently moved from Louisville, Ky., to Birmingham, Ala.

Mr. COLE also admitted that he had received a visit from Mrs. WADE KEEVER at his residence in LaFollette on the night of 7/25/60 but that she had not discussed these cards with him, and he had not thought to ask her about them.

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Mr. COLE, who declined to furnish a signed statement or submit to polygraph examination, advised that he was born January 8, 1891 in Claiborne County, Tennessee, has a high school education, is unmarried, and resides with his two sisters at 200 Elm St., LaFollette. COLE is 5 feet 9½ inches in height, weighs 120 pounds, is very slender, has a dark sallow complexion, gray-brown crew-cut hair, and several small lumps or moles on his face. His lower front teeth are gold capped. He drives a 1951 Ford sedan.

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Date July 28, 1960

NED DUPES, who advised that he was christened NEUBERT DUPES, 808 North 3rd Avenue, Knoxville, Tennessee, was interviewed at the office of the Knoxville Motor Company, 413 North Gay Street. Mr. DUPES advised that he is a retired vaudevillian and inherited an interest in the building in which the Knoxville Motor Company is located but is not connected with this motor company. Mr. DUPES identified himself as National Secretary of the National States Rights Party, of which ARTHUR BRUCE COLE of LaFollette, Tennessee, is National Chairman.

At the outset of this interview, Mr. DUPES was advised that he did not have to make any statement, that anything he said could be used against him in a court of law, and that he was entitled to consult an attorney, if he so desired.

Mr. DUPES was shown a white printed card, measuring 2½" X 5½", captioned "Are You Stupid?", and reading as follows:

"ARE YOU STUPID?

Estes Kefauver considers you are. And does not hesitate to insult Intelligent people. He has voted against the South on every issue and finally refused to cast the one necessary vote to put Supreme Court in their place. He is an Anti Christ stooge and a one world idiot. If you the people of Tennessee send him back for another 6 - year destruction, then you will prove he is correct in considering you stupid!"

It is noted (the words "State of Tennessee" had been scratched out of the above text with a pen and the word "South" printed above them.)

Mr. DUPES promptly and readily admitted that he had handed out and distributed cards similar to, or identical with, the above worded card, giving them to various persons at Knoxville whose identities he could not recall and

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placing some of them in open automobiles parked on the streets of Knoxville. Specifically, he admitted having placed these cards in automobiles parked in the vicinity of Fort Sanders Presbyterian Hospital, West Clinch Avenue, between 19th and 20th Streets, Southwest, approximately three or four weeks ago.

Mr. DUPES admitted he had also, at the same time, handed out and distributed similarly printed white cards captioned "Communism In The Pulpit!", "White Man Awaken!", and "Communist In The Presbyterian Church!", samples of which he likewise identified when same were exhibited to him.

Mr. DUPES advised that, at the time he handed out and distributed the above cards, including the card captioned "Are You Stupid?", which makes reference to Senator ESTES KEFAUVER and opposes his re-election, which cards bore no labels, signatures, or identifying data as to the source or origin, that he was unaware of the existence of a Federal Statute requiring the labeling of political literature. In this connection, Mr. DUPES said he had received a letter on the morning of July 27, 1960, from Mr. ARTHUR BRUCE COLE, LaFollette, Tennessee, Chairman of the National States Rights Party, in which COLE advised him that, if DUPES had any cards such as above and had been handing them out, he should cease doing so because they were not labeled as to source and, therefore, were in violation of the Federal laws. DUPES said prior to receiving the above advice from COLE, he was unaware that the distribution of unlabeled political literature was a Federal offense.

DUPES professed not to know the source or origin of the above card captioned "Are You Stupid?", or the other similarly printed cards which he had distributed. DUPES said that he had found these cards in a package on his front porch one morning several weeks ago and that the package was not addressed to him, bore no return address or other identification, and apparently had been placed there by some person as it bore no postage stamps or other indications of having been sent through the mail. DUPES said there were approximately fifty cards of each kind in the package bearing the four different captions mentioned above

but the only ones having political connotation was the one entitled "Are You Stupid?". DUPES said he had no idea who had placed the above package on his front porch. He said he made no inquiry in an effort to find out where they came from. He said he passed them out because he agreed with their contents and, in this connection, commented that he is opposed to the re-election of Senator ESTES KEFAUVER because he regards him as "soft on Communism" and is also concerned about the infiltration by Communists in our churches and other Christian Organizations. DUPES also made statements indicating he was opposed to racial integration.

In connection with the card captioned "Are You Stupid?", it was pointed out to DUPES the words "State of Tennessee" was scratched out and the word "South" written above them. He stated he had done this on his own on the cards received by him prior to distributing them. He was asked how he had known to do this and he claimed he did it of his volition and decision without any outside instructions. He denied he had furnished any cards similar to those described to ARTHUR BRUCE COLE of LaFollette and said he was at a loss to say from whom COLE had received his cards and had no information pertaining to COLE'S statement, that the cards received by him included a sample of the "Are You Stupid?" cards with typed instructions to scratch out the words "State of Tennessee" and insert the word "South" in lieu thereof.

When this coincidence was first discussed with DUPES, he admitted he had placed the words "South" on the cards distributed by him and said he had made this substitution of words on a typewriter. Subsequently, in the interview, however, DUPES disclaimed using the typewriter and said he had made the substitution of words with pen and ink. DUPES said he had passed out all the cards he had received and had none of them left. He again denied he had sent any such cards to ARTHUR COLE or that ARTHUR COLE had sent any such cards to him, and denied knowing COLE had been passing out such cards. He said he knew of no other persons who had distributed similar cards and that he had only distributed them in Knoxville. He denied that the cards in question had been composed or printed by him or under his direction, or that of the National States Rights Party.

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It was observed that printed business envelopes of the National States Rights Party, bearing the initials "N. S. R. P." in the upper left-hand corner, and that the type face of these printed letters appear similar to the type face of the capital letters used in printing the above cards, including the card captioned "Are You Stupid?". Observation indicated that the type face used on these two cards appear to be the same size and style. This apparent coincidence was discussed with Mr. DUPES and he was asked whether the above printed cards could have been printed by the same printing establishment which printed the above mentioned business envelopes for the National States Rights Party. In this regard, Mr. DUPES said that business stationery of the National States Rights Party was printed on orders placed by Dr. ED FIELDS, Chiropractor, who is National Publicity Director for the National States Rights Party, and that Dr. FIELDS, until recently, had made his headquarters in Louisville, Kentucky, at which place DUPES assumed the Party's printing was done by some unknown commercial establishment. He advised, however, that Dr. ED FIELDS is now located in Birmingham and can be reached through P. O. Box 783, Birmingham, Alabama. DUPES insisted, however, that the above printed cards had not been printed by or in behalf of the National States Rights Party and he again insisted he did not know their source or who had placed them on his front porch.

Mr. DUPES said that he was born March 9, 1901, at Knoxville, Tennessee, that he is 5'7" in height, 125 pounds in weight, is divorced, and makes his home with his sisters at 808 North 3rd Avenue, telephone 2-1246. It was observed that DUPES has sandy brown hair turning gray, blue eyes, sallow complexion, is of small build, and has false teeth. He advised that he owns no automobile.

Mr. DUPES declined to furnish a signed statement or submit to interview with the polygraph. He did furnish, voluntarily, an envelope of the National States Rights Party for Laboratory comparison as to printing.

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Date July 28, 1960

TIMOTHY P. LAWSON, Vice President, Camel Manufacturing Company, residence - 4705 Skyline Drive, Southeast, advised that the three printed white cards, one of which mentioned Senator ESTES KEFAUVER in a derogatory manner and was captioned "Are You Stupid?", had been given to him about a month ago by DAVID E. WARWICK, who had found them in his automobile which had been parked unattended near Fort Sanders Presbyterian Hospital. Mr. LAWSON said that he is a member of the KEFAUVER-For-Senate Committee of Knox County. He said that no additional information concerning unlabeled political literature had come to his attention.

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Mr. DAVID E. WARWICK, Vice President, Citizens Realty and Insurance Company, 846 North Central Avenue, residence - 4101 Royalview Road, advised that he had turned over to TIMOTHY P. LAWSON three white printed cards, bearing no label or other identification, one of which mentioned Senator ESTES KEFAUVER in a derogatory manner and was captioned "Are You Stupid?". Mr. WARWICK advised he found these cards lying on the seat of his automobile, a 1960, green Volkswagen, which he had parked unattended for approximately ten minutes between noon and 1:00 p.m. about one month ago on the street forming the Western side (20th Street) of Fort Sanders Presbyterian Hospital, near the intersection of this street and West Clinch Avenue. Mr. WARWICK said when he returned to his car and observed the three cards he glanced around the area in an effort to see who might have placed them there but observed no one who appeared to have any connection with the cards.

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RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., et al.
ELECTION LAWS

Enclosed are two copies of a memorandum received from the Civil Rights Division dated 8/5/60 with two copies of the enclosure thereto.

Comply with the request of the Civil Rights Division informing all persons interviewed that the investigation is being conducted at the specific request of Harold R. Tyler, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, U. S. Department of Justice. Complete and surep within seven days of the receipt of this communication.

Enclosures (4)

NOTE:

Department has ~~requested~~ forwarded clipping from "New York Times" with Nashville, Tennessee, dateline 7/23/60 which refers to anti-Kefauver literature which may be in violation of Section 612, Title 18, USC, which requires such literature to be labeled. Department has requested that copies of the literature be obtained and that if they are found to be unlabeled, they be included in the full investigation of this matter.

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TO : Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation DATE: AUG 5 1960

FROM : Harold R. Tyler, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division HRT,Jr.:JHF:bab

SUBJECT: Richard Jackson Burrow, Jr.; William Nathan Mathis; William Allen Ausbon; Unknown Subjects; Election Laws. 72-70-63 5266

We attach a copy of a news article which appeared in the New York Times of July 24, 1960, concerning Senator Kefauver's campaign for re-election to the United States Senate.

The article refers to certain campaign literature which, if it is unlabeled, would appear to violate 18 U.S.C. 612. Please obtain copies of the items referred to. In addition, if the material is not fully labeled please include these items as part of the full investigation presently being conducted in this matter.

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2 ENCLOSURE

HE NEW YORK TIMES

KEFAUVER FIGHTS TO KEEP HIS SEAT

VoteAgainst Outlawing Rods and Party's Rights Plank Cited by His Opponents

Special to The New York Times.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., July 23 —Senator Estes Kefauver, the 1956 Democratic Vice-Presidential candidate, is waging a desperate fight to retain his Senate seat.

His supporters conceded today that he had little better than an even chance to defeat Circuit Judge Andrew T. Taylor in the Democratic primary on Aug. 4. The nominee is sure to win election in a state-wide race.

The Senator faces a well-organized campaign supported and financed by a coalition of segregationists, business men, lawyers and druggists. He is largely dependent upon the backing of a corps of volunteer housewives and college youths and his traditional strength among organized labor, Negro and other liberal groups.

National Implications

The outcome of the primary may have implications for Senator John F. Kennedy's Presidential candidacy. The civil rights proposals adopted by the Democratic National Convention have become an issue in this race. The reaction of Tennessee voters, who have traditionally followed a moderate course on racial matters, will be the first indication of the depth of Southern opposition to those proposals.

The result may also show the political effects of Negro demonstrations against segregation that have been staged throughout the South since Feb. 1. Observers contend that the emotion aroused by these protests in Chattanooga, Knoxville, Nashville and Memphis has hurt Mr. Kefauver.

Judge Taylor has centered his fire on the Senator's support of the 1960 Civil Rights Act and similar legislation. He has also declared that Mr. Kefauver was "wanting in the fight we have been waging against communism and other forms of subversion."

Others in the opposition camp have been less subtle. Broadsides have been distributed characterizing the incumbent as "a coldly calculating betrayer" of Tennessee and the South and his supporters as "a strange swarm of Leftists, radicals and Dixie haters."

Literature handed out this week in the wage of a Kefauver handshaking tour through La Follette urged residents: "Ask yourself this question when you go to vote: Why was it our Tennessee Senator was the only U. S. Senator to vote against the bill to outlaw the Communist party in this country? Vote American and vote for Andrew (Tip) Taylor for U. S. Senator."

Racial Tones

In some cases the anti-Kefauver literature has been accompanied by a broadside entitled "Save the White Race." It said: "The hell-inspired Jews seek to destroy the white race." A cartoon of a Negro man kissing a white woman was captioned: "The results of race mixing."

The Senator's defense has been to point to his leading role in the development of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization as an effective weapon against Communist expansion. He has called attention to his part in organizing the recent Atlantic Congress of delegates from NATO countries.

Mr. Kefauver has also cited his advocacy of increasing the free world's military, political and economic strength against communism.

On the racial issue, he has denounced the Democratic civil rights plank as being too far-reaching. But he has defended his support of the 1960 Civil Rights Act by saying, "I couldn't square my conscience with denying any qualified citizen the right to vote."

Mr. Kefauver's supporters contend that the real basis for his opposition stems from his Senate investigations into the profits of the steel and drug industries.

The Senator's opponent began his political career as an ally of the political machine headed by the late E. H. Crump of Memphis. Mr. Kefauver first won election to the Senate in 1948 by defeating a Crump candidate.

Mr. Taylor was elected to a seat on the Tennessee Public Service Commission with the machine's support. He later won election as a criminal court judge for five West Tennessee counties. He made an unsuccessful bid for the Governorship in 1958 against Gov. Buford Ellington.

ENCLOSURE

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NEW YORK TIMES, New York, New York 7/24/60

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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REPORT

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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

Identification Division

YOUR FILE NO. 56-58
FBI FILE NO. 56-2335 -46
LATENT CASE NO. 27303

August 9, 1960

TO: REC-84 SAC, Knoxville

EX-102

RE: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.,
ET AL.
ELECTION LAWS

REFERENCE: Letter 7-23-60
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Knoxville
SPECIMENS: One post card and six postal cards (Q51 through Q57)

No latent impressions found on the seven cards, nor under the stamp of a card addressed to "Mr. Jack Mayfield."

The cards are enclosed, along with the known typewritten specimens, K15 and K16.

Laboratory report separate.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335)
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

DATE: 7/28/60

FROM : SAC, KNOXVILLE (56-58)

SUBJECT: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.;
ET AL
ELECTION LAWS
(OO: Memphis)

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Enclosed are the following described items:

(1) Post card addressed Mr. Jack Mayfield, 3925 Ringgold Road, Chattanooga 11, Tenn. Postmarked June 15, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(2) Post card addressed Mrs. Warren Jackson, 3805 Monte Vista Drive, City. 11. Postmarked June 25, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(3) Post card addressed Mrs. C. P. Kelley, 119 Sequola Ave. City. 11. Postmarked June 26, 1960, at Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(4) Post card addressed Mr. French Jenkins, 2715 East 17th Street, City. 4. Postmarked June 26, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(5) Post card addressed Mrs. C. C. Hobbs, 821 Mt Belvoir, City. 11. Postmarked June 26, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(6) Post card addressed Mrs. Wayne Hughie, 3603 Maiden Lane, Chattanooga 11, Tenn. Postmarked June 26, 1960, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(7) Post card addressed Mr. Richard N. Ivins, Athens, Tennessee. Postmarked June 26, 1960, at Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(8) Typewriter specimen from Standard Underwood Typewriter, Serial Number 11-6149579, property of LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND, dated 7/18/60.

(9) Typewriter specimen from Portable Tower Typewriter, SN 4AT50842, in possession JOSEPH EARL SCOTT, Chattanooga, Tennessee, dated 7/18/60.

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Lab word sheet det & filed in Bulletproof Serial 132

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Searched 8-9-60

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LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND, Chattanooga, Tennessee, has admitted he typed above-described post cards on his Standard Underwood Typewriter, Serial Number 11-6149579. HOLLAND has advised that Item (1), described above, was typed on a non-regulation post card and returned to JOSEPH EARL SCOTT who had instructed him to prepare these post cards. HOLLAND admits that this card did not bear a U. S. 3¢ postage stamp at the time he returned it to SCOTT and that it was his belief that SCOTT had affixed the postage stamp to this post card and then placed in the U. S. Mails. HOLLAND further states that all other post cards are U. S. regulation issued post cards, and he also returned them to SCOTT for mailing.

SCOTT upon interview denies knowledge of any of the above-described post cards.

The Laboratory is requested to compare the typewriter specimens furnished by HOLLAND and SCOTT with the type on enclosed post cards.

The Laboratory is also requested to attempt to obtain latent prints from these post cards and if possible, to remove the 3¢ U. S. postage stamp from Item (1) and determine if a latent print appears on the mucilage of this postage stamp.

SCOTT refused to be fingerprinted and stated that he had been fingerprinted in the past while employed on construction jobs during the 1940's at Ft. Campbell, Kentucky, and Ft. Oglethorpe, Georgia.

SCOTT is a white male, born 5/30/1908, Hamilton County, Tennessee, 5'6", 250 lbs., brown hair, gray eyes, wears glasses (reportedly blind left eye), wife - CHRISTINE W. SCOTT, residence 3805 Fountain Avenue, East Ridge, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

HOLLAND is a white male, born 10/29/1897, Chattanooga, Tennessee, 6', 235 lbs., heavy build, brown hair, blue eyes, wife - LUCY HOLLAND, residence - 1832 Everglade Avenue, East Ridge, Chattanooga, Tennessee. FBI #1501251.

Latent comparisons should only be made on above individuals, inasmuch as numerous individuals have handled these post cards prior to receipt by the FBI.

Laboratory will expedite examination and advise Knoxville and Memphis Divisions of their results. Will return above specimens to Knoxville Division.

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FBI

Date: 8/6/60

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Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335)

FROM: SAC, LITTLE ROCK (56-92)

RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.;
ET AL
ELECTION LAWS
OO: MEMPHIS

Remytel dated August 5, 1960.

Enclosed herewith are two copies of an article appearing in the Evening Times, West Memphis, Arkansas, newspaper on Friday, August 5, 1960, entitled, "FBI SEIZES PRINTED MATTER."

CASPER

1cc: AAG Civil Rights Division
Form 6-95 A 8/12/60

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Special Agent in Charge

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FBI SEIZES PRINTED MATTER

RE: RICHARD JACKSON
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BUFile 56-2335
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Evening Times, West Memphis
Arkansas, 8/5/60
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ENCLOSURE
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Search Emmett Miller Home For Political Literature

The Federal Bureau of Investigation Thursday reported that its agents had seized printed segregationist material, some of which may have been designed for use in the Tennessee Democratic Primary, from the West Memphis home of Emmett E. Miller.

Miller, 44-year-old accountant who lives at 604 Ingram Boulevard, is one of three men charged in an attempt to bomb a Negro college at Little Rock the morning of July 12.

A document filed in Federal District Court at Little Rock Thursday stated Miller had admitted to FBI Agent Edward F. McFadden that he transported explosives from West Memphis to Little Rock "for the purpose of exploding it at Philander Smith College and thereby delay integration of public schools."

Miller's wife, who operated a small offset printing business, confirmed the report that materials had been taken but denied printing any material that would involve the Tennessee election.

FBI officials listed 32 items taken from the Miller home. They included a negative used in printing applications for membership in "The Original Ku Klux Klan," a negative beginning with a photograph captioned "When the Ku Klux Klan Marched" and ending "Informed as to your supporters," and a negative beginning with a furniture store advertisement and ending, "Turn to the Klan for a last stand."

FBI officials said there were stencils of Shelby County Citizens Council literature, a stencil entitled "All nine of 'em," apparently referring to the United States Supreme Court justices, and a paper plate ~~[illegible]~~ "Klans ~~[illegible]~~ Vote."

FBI Seizes

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agents came to her home on July 23 and confiscated the 32 items of printing "all of which pertaining to segregation" and "questioned me repeatedly as to who I had done this printing for."

Refuses Names

She said the search warrant was for the seizure of "unsigned political literature pertaining to Estes Kefauver's campaign for Senator," but charged personal mail was opened. She said when she refused to give the names of her customers, she was informed she could go to court and take the blame for her printing.

Charging harassment, she said "As to the statements by the FBI that I have printed any unsigned literature for circulation during Estes Kefauver's campaign for Senator, that is a bare faced lie and further their insinuation that I have printed any segregation literature which is either illegal, immoral or wrong is likewise a bald lie."

Mrs. Miller said her husband had nothing to do with any of the printing done in her shop.

Second Search

FBI officials also revealed that it was the second time the Miller home had been sarched, the other search having been made July 12 in connection with the bombing case.

An auto parts business and salvage yard near here, which is operated as Twin City Auto Parts by Robert Lloyd Parks, 38, who also is charged in connection with the Little Rock bombing, also was searched on July 12 in connection with the bombing case.

FBI agents said from the auto parts firm premises they confiscated a pan containing a black solution, some charred debris, string, tacks and pieces of scrap paper. Nothing was taken at the Miller home in the earlier search.

Comic Matter

Copies of printed literature taken included 20 cartoons captioned "I'm dedicated to . . . Assist the NAACP . . . to Desegregate you trashy white folks," three comical NAACP application blanks, and a sheet entitled, "Southern Sit-Downers Association." "Be a Man—Join the Klan" was the title of three printed sheets.

Mrs. Miller said all of the material was of a comical nature such as has been circulated throughout the area. The FBI list did not indicate which of the literature was associated with the anti-Kefauver campaign.

There was one negative of a Commercial Appeal clipping showing Kefauver shaking hands with a Negro, but it was from a Commercial Appeal clipping, Mrs. Miller said.

The unsigned literature case is being investigated at the request of United States Attorney Warner Hodges of Memphis and was not related to the Little Rock bombing.

Mrs. Miller said five armed

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Issues Statements

FBI Agent James W. Kelley issued the following statement to obtain the Parks search warrant.

"That on the night of July 12, 1960, I observed Robert Lloyd Parks and Emmett E. Miller at the above - described property (Twin City Auto Parts) enter the automobile owned by Parks, a 1957 Cadillac bearing 1960 Arkansas License 8-4745 and drive to Little Rock, Arkansas, and proceed to 1020 Izard Street, which is the location of Budlong Hall of the Philander Smith College where I observed the arrest of Miller and Parks by special agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. I also observed a wooden box containing explosives which Miller admitted in my presence placing against the outside wall of the southside of Budlong Hall immediately prior to his arrest. Miller also admitted that Parks had transported Miller from West Memphis, Arkansas, to Little Rock, Arkansas, for the purpose of Miller placing explosives at a building constituting part of Philander Smith College. Prior to this incident I had, on July 8, 1960, observed Miller and Parks along with another individual whom I later learned was Hugh Lynn Adams, together on the premises of Parks at West Memphis, Arkansas, as described above, where the box of explosives was assembled."

Special Agent McFadden said in an affidavit requesting the search warrant for the Miller home that the FBI had reason to believe that explosives and related materials were concealed at the Miller residence and in Miller's automobiles, a 1949 Studebaker and 1959 Plymouth.

McFadden made the following statement of facts to establish grounds for the July 12 Miller search warrant.

"At about 12:30 a.m., July 12, 1960, I observed Emmett E. Miller leaving the rear of Budlong Hall of Philander Smith College, Little Rock, Arkansas. I placed him under arrest for a violation of Title 18, Section 837 (the new civil rights law). Shortly thereafter he admitted to me that he had previously prepared a box of explosives which he had placed next to Budlong Hall immediately before his arrest. He admitted to me that he had transported this box of explosives from West Memphis, Arkansas, to Little Rock, Arkansas, for the purpose of exploding it at Philander Smith College and thereby delay integration of public schools. Miller told me he had made the box holding the explosives from materials from the attic of his residence at West Memphis, Arkansas. Miller said he, on July 10, 1960, at West Memphis, Arkansas, had driven one of his two automobiles to the place of business and home of Robert Lloyd Parks, who accompanied him to Little Rock and who was arrested at the same time as Miller."

Miller, Parks and Hugh Lynn Adams, 33, of Bassett are facing Federal charges for the Little Rock bombing. Miller and Parks were released on $20,000 bond and Adams on a $15,000 bond.

No search warrant was issued for the home of Adams.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

FORM No. 1
THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT MEMPHIS

REPORT MADE AT	DATE WHEN MADE	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE	REPORT MADE BY
MEMPHIS	8/5/60	7/27 - 8//5/60	JOSEPH A. CANALE BEW; MEN; CJR

TITLE	CHARACTER OF CASE
CHANGED: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR. RODNEY BABER, ET AL	ELECTION LAWS

~~SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:~~

The title of this case is marked changed to denote the addition of the name of RODNEY BABER, thereto, as a subject.

REFERENCE: Report of SA JOSEPH A. CANALE 7/27/60, Memphis

Memphis letter to Director 7/28/60

Memphis airtel to Director 7/29/60

Memphis teletype to Bureau 7/31/60

Report of SA JOHN A. PARKER 8/1/60, Knoxville

Report of SA HERMAN E. TICKEL 7/29/60, Little Rock

Memphis airtel to Little Rock 8/4/60 (Inter-office)

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KNOXVILLE DIVISION

Will complete investigation set out in leads of report of SA JOHN A. PARKER 8/1/60, Knoxville.

LITTLE ROCK DIVISION

Will submit specimens to FBI Laboratory as requested

1cc: AAG Civil Rights Division
Form 6-94

APPROVED AND FORWARDED:	SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE	DO NOT WRITE IN THESE SPACES
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in refairtel from Memphis to Little Rock, dated 8/4/60.

MEMPHIS DIVISION

AT MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE

Will report the result of examination by the FBI Laboratory of specimens submitted by the Memphis and Little Rock Offices.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:
1 - U. S. Attorney, Little Rock, Arkansas
1 - U. S. Attorney, Knoxville, Tennessee
1 - U. S. Attorney, Memphis, Tennessee
1 - U. S. Attorney, Nashville, Tennessee

Report of: SA JOSEPH A. CANALE Office: Memphis
Date: 8/5/60

File Number: Memphis 56-82 Bureau file # 56-2335

Title: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.; WILLIAM NATHAN MATHIS; WILLIAM ALLEN AUSBAN; BENJAMIN W. SHARPE; HOWARD K. TAYLOE; LELAND CONNALLY DERRICK; VERNEY W. SEEBODE; EDWARD N. PARKES, SR.; [redacted]; JOHN DOUGLAS; ALBERT HATCHETT; BARNEY O. LOFTON, SR.; [redacted]; [redacted] ARTHUR BRUCE COLE; NED DUPES; GLENN HATMAKER; LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND; JOSEPH EARL SCOTT; RODNEY BABER;

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Character: ELECTION LAWS

Synopsis:

[redacted] on interview, admitted being Editor of "Political Report" and stated he printed photo, "Estes Greeted..." in both May and July, 1960 issues. Claimed he clipped original photo from Memphis Commercial Appeal several years ago. Claims negatives of this photo not same as negative used in circular, "Estes Is The Bestest..." [redacted] did not list self as Editor of "Political Report" in May and July, 1960, issues as he feared harassment by political opponents. Denied preparing other unlabeled political material. Copy of August, 1960 "Political Report" obtained and shows [redacted] Box 3682, as Editor. KEFAUVER campaign officials, Memphis, furnished copies of two additional pieces of unlabeled literature and alleged that some unlabeled literature being printed RODNEY BABER & CO., Memphis. [redacted] Kefauver campaign worker, stated she personally secured supply of unlabeled "doorknob" circulars at Memphis campaign headquarters of candidate, ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR. ANCEL J. WEATHERINGTON, upon contact, declined to be interviewed. Additional investigation on basis of information from [redacted] disclosed no information re printing of unlabeled political literature near Millington, Tennessee.

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ENCLOSURES To U. S. A. Memphis 1 each - Verifax copy of two circulars, titled: "This is Reprint of..." and "Doorknob" Circular with photo of ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR

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ENCLOSURES (CONT'D)	To U. S. A. Nashville	(1 each) Verifax copy of two circulars titled: "This is Reprint of.." and "Doorknob" Circular with photo of ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR
	To U. S. A. Knoxville	Same as above
	To U. S. A. Little Rock	Same as above
	To Bureau	2 copies each of the above
	To Knoxville	2 copies each of the above
	To Little Rock	2 copies each of the above

FD-302 (Rev. 1-25-60)

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 8/1/60

At about 10:30 A. M. on July 28, 1960, Thursday, an individual identifying himself as [redacted] owner and operator of [redacted] a photographic and lithographic company located [redacted] Memphis, Tennessee, telephonically contacted the Memphis FBI Office and advised that an individual identifying himself as [redacted] had a short while before come into his place of business with a lot of printed material appearing to be of a political nature, some of which had to do with Senator ESTES KEFAUVER and had asked [redacted] to reproduce this material in the form of photographic negatives and to then use said negatives to make metal aluminum printing plates which, [redacted] stated, he intended to carry to [redacted] of [redacted] West Memphis, Arkansas, and have [redacted] print same for him.

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[redacted] pointed out that the purpose of his call was to inform the FBI of this information due to the fact that he had been previously contacted around July 19, 1960, by unrecalled representatives of the FBI, who had exhibited to him certain unlabeled political literature having to do with U. S. Senator ESTES KEFAUVER, at which time the Agents were seeking his assistance in determining by whom said unlabeled material was being printed and by whom it was being prepared and possibly by whom it was being distributed.

[redacted] stated that he respectfully requested that an Agent observe this material before he printed same, as he did not wish to violate any Federal law with regard to the possible printing or preparing printing plates which could later be used to print unlabeled political literature.

On 7/28/60 at Memphis, Tennessee File # Memphis 56-82

by SA WILLIAM H. LAWRENCE (MEN) Date dictated 7/28/60

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[redacted] operator and owner of [redacted] a photographic and lithographic company, advised that earlier on July 28, 1960, a white male, identifying himself as [redacted] of Memphis, Tennessee, came into his place of business with six "paste up" copy sheets for a political bulletin or pamphlet entitled, "Political Report" August 1960 issue. [redacted] exhibited this "paste up" copy to the interviewing Agents and it was noted by [redacted] that the paper identified itself as "Political Report" P. O. Box 3682 Memphis, Tennessee, [redacted] Editor.

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[redacted] pointed out that included in this "paste up" material was a photograph of ESTES KEFAUVER being greeted by two unidentified Negro males and bearing the caption, "ESTES GREETED", following which were printed the words "Admirers were ready with handshakes when Senator ESTES KEFAUVER (D, Tenn.) arrived at a meeting of the National Association for Advancement of Colored People in Los Angeles." He pointed out that immediately beneath this was the printed notation "Kefauver used to be proud of this photograph but now has the FBI harassing the publishers of this magazine for reprinting this picture. Is Kefauver ashamed of his Negro supporters?"

[redacted] pointed out that [redacted] told him that he wanted him to make negatives of this material and make printing plates in order that he could take same to [redacted] of [redacted] West Memphis, Arkansas, where she was scheduled to print multiple copies of this publication for [redacted] stated that he agreed to do this work for [redacted] and that [redacted] thereafter left.

[redacted] stated that he then began questioning in his own mind whether or not his preparing the negative and subsequent printing plate could possibly be in violation of any Federal law having to do with the printing or preparing for printing unlabeled political propaganda. He stated that [redacted] had also left with him a form of the Equipment Company, Steel Forms Division, P. O. Box 293 Memphis, Tennessee, to have negatives and printing plates made.

On 7/28/60 at Memphis, Tennessee File # Memphis 56-82

by SA'S WILLIAM H. LAWRENCE & JOSEPH T. HILL (MEN) Date dictated 7/28/60

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[redacted] stated that he knew of his own knowledge that [redacted] worked for the Steel Forms Division of the Equipment Company and that she had frequently brought such material to him to have negatives and plates made. He stated that for this reason he was convinced that [redacted] was operating in conjunction with [redacted] and that he thereupon took upon himself to phone [redacted] at the Steel Forms Division of the Newberry Equipment Company which is actually located in West Memphis, Arkansas. He said he told [redacted] that [redacted] had brought the above-described political material to him to be photographed and to be made into printing plates and that he wanted to clear with [redacted] as to the authenticity of this request. He said that [redacted] told him over the telephone that [redacted] had a day or so before talked to an FBI Agent named Mr. LAWRENCE about his printing the paper "Political Report" and that he had gotten the impression that the FBI was not investigating the "Political Report" as such and that it would be all right to continue the publication thereof.

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[redacted] raised the question with interviewing Agents as to whether or not he would be violating any Federal laws in making the negative and subsequent printing plates from the material furnished to him by [redacted] on July 28, 1960.

[redacted] was advised by the interviewing Agents that the FBI did not have the authority to serve as a censor of any material that should or should not be printed and that the FBI could not give him any legal advice as to whether or not his preparing this material would be in violation of any Federal law; that if he had any questions in his mind concerning the propriety or legality of his performing his work that he should feel free to consult his attorney or any attorney of his choice.

[redacted] stated that he understood the FBI's position and that he felt in his own mind that he would go ahead and make negatives and plates from the material furnished to him by [redacted].

[redacted] also stated that no FBI Agent at any time has attempted to tell him whether or not he should or should not print any material.

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[redacted] Memphis, Tennessee, furnished a trial run or proof copy of the August, 1960 issue of "Political Report".

An examination of this copy discloses the mast head contains the name of [redacted] Editor, "Political Report", Box 3682, Memphis, Tennessee.

[redacted] advised that [redacted] had picked up the photo negatives prepared by [redacted] for this publication and stated she would prepare the offset plates herself.

Further examination of the copy of the August, 1960 issue of POLITICAL REPORT shows that on another page, the inside cover page, appears two photographs, one beneath the other. The upper photograph depicts two Negroes between two white persons and the following text appears: "Among Kefauvers well-wishers and contributors at Sunday's Mayflower Hotel get-together were Paul Cunningham of New York, executive director of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP); Dolly and Simuel McClennon, formerly of Memphis, and Milton Kronheim, a Washington liquor wholesaler." The lower photograph portrays Senator Kefauver and his wife standing beside three white people and the following text appears: "Mrs. Estes Kefauver, Senator Kefauver, F. Joseph (Jiggs) Donohue and Mr. & Mrs. William Burkhalter talk over the Tennessee political situation during a fund-raising party in Washington for Kefauver's renomination."

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On 8/3/60 at Memphis, Tennessee File # Memphis 56-82

(MEN)

by SA'S JOSEPH A. CANALE & WILLIAM H. LAWRENCE Date dictated 8/5/60

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 8/1/60

At about 10:45 A. M. on July 28, 1960, a woman identifying herself as [redacted] Shelby County, Tennessee, located on the outskirts of Memphis, Tennessee, telephone number [redacted], telephonically contacted SA WILLIAM H. LAWRENCE in the Memphis FBI Office. [redacted] pointed out that she had just received a telephone call from West Memphis, Arkansas, from [redacted] wife of [redacted] and a friend of [redacted]

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[redacted] volunteered that on the night of July 27, 1960, [redacted] had gone to West Memphis, Arkansas, and worked with [redacted] in making up the copy for the August, 1960, issue of the "Political Report" a small political pamphlet, edited by [redacted]; that [redacted] and [redacted] wanted to get the paper printed as quickly as possible in order that copies of it might be distributed at an unidentified Memphis political rally to be held on July 29, 1960.

[redacted] further volunteered that on the morning of July 28, 1960, her husband had carried this make-up copy of the August, 1960 issue of the "Political Report" to [redacted] at [redacted] Memphis, Tennessee, for the purpose of having [redacted] make up negatives of this material and from the negatives make up printing plates in order that [redacted] in her print shop and in her home in West Memphis might subsequently make multiple copies of her publication in printed form.

[redacted] related that in her phone conversation with [redacted] that the latter had told her that an unidentified man from [redacted] had just called [redacted] telling her that [redacted] had left various printed material with her to be prepared into negatives and plates. This unidentified man further allegedly told [redacted] according to her conversation with [redacted] that he had been instructed by the FBI not to print any such material. [redacted] stated that she was concerned to hear this as she and [redacted] needed this material in the form of the "Political Report" to give out at the

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political rally on July 29, 1960.

[redacted] was told by the Agent that the FBI had not told any printer or anyone in the printing industry, including photographers and lithographers such as [redacted] that they were not to print any material for [redacted] or for any other individual or group of individuals.

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[redacted] residing [redacted] Shelby County, Tennessee, located just outside the City Limits of Memphis, on interview was advised that he did not have to make any statements; that any statements he might make could conceivably be used against him in court of law and that he had the right if he so desired to consult legal counsel.

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[redacted] thereafter stated that since 1956 he has been active in an organization which is chartered by the Department of State of the State of Tennessee known as the Association of Citizens Councils of Tennessee. He stated that he has held continuously the title of Executive Secretary thereof, but that for all practical purposes, the activities of this organization for the past several years have been nominal in nature and have been confined to a paper-type organization which has been largely utilized in various state, city, and local and Federal elections. He described it as being more of a political organization than anything else, which will back certain candidates who, members of the Citizens Councils feel, more aptly and ably represent the conservative view of the members, relating to states' rights and racial segregation in public facilities, including schools.

[redacted] related that around April, 1960, he, [redacted] along with BARNEY L. LOFTON, SR., a resident of 3430 Clearpool Circle, Oakville, Tennessee, a suburb of Memphis, who is Treasurer of the Citizens Council, decided to put out a small newspaper or monthly magazine to put across to the readers the conservative pro-states' rights and pro-segregation views, held by members of the Association of Citizens Councils of Tennessee, which was also known as the Shelby County Citizens Council. He added that in this regard, Mr. LOFTON rented Post Office Box 3682 in Memphis, Tennessee, to be used as a return address for the Shelby County Citizens Council and for the new magazine which they named the "Political Report". [redacted] stated that thus far, he and LOFTON have put out three issues of the "Political Report," namely, the April, May and July, 1960 issues.

[redacted] stated that [redacted] wife of

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[redacted] who resides at [redacted] West Memphis, Arkansas, printed both the May and April issues of "Political Report"; that [redacted] printed approximately 1500 copies thereof and that [redacted] had to pay her $80.00 for each 1500 copies which she printed. b6 b7C

[redacted] stated that he is the editor of the paper and that BARNEY L. LOFTON is the business manager of the paper. He advised that they do not have any official titles and that their names were not set out in the "Political Report" due to the fact they feared they would suffer harassment, annoying telephone calls, and other annoyances, by people who did not agree with the editorial and reportorial content of their magazine.

[redacted] stated that he did not intend to violate any laws by not putting the names of either LOFTON or himself on the paper. He stated he felt that the putting of the Post Office Box 3682 would be sufficient to identify the paper. He stated he had consulted a lawyer in this regard, prior to issuing the paper. He did not identify the lawyer but said he had been told by the lawyer that the putting of the Post Office Box, which is actually rented by LOFTON, would be sufficient.

[redacted] stated he makes up the paper or magazine by clipping various news articles from various newspapers and magazines, such as the U. S. News and World Report, and then adding local items which either he or friends may contribute. He pointed out that BROOKS NORFLEET, a Memphis attorney with offices in the Sterick Building, has on occasions contributed articles to the "Political Report"; also, that other individuals have contributed articles to the "Political Report."

[redacted] stated that the July, 1960 issue of "Political Report" was printed by the Whitehaven Press, located 4172 Highway 51 South, and that a Mr. ROBERT W. TOWERY operates the Whitehaven Press. He stated that Mr. TOWERY had nothing to do with the preparation of the magazine and merely printed it as a businesslike act for LOFTON and himself.

[redacted] pointed out that both the May and July issues of "Political Report" contained a photograph of ESTES KEFAUVER, U. S. Senator, from Tennessee, and who,

[redacted] stated, is currently running for re-election to this office on the Democratic ticket in the Democratic Primary to be held in the State of Tennessee on August 4, 1960. b6 b7C

[redacted] pointed out that Kefauver's opponent is ANDREW T. "TIP" TAYLOR.

[redacted] pointed out it is no secret that he does not support Kefauver. He stated that he is supporting TAYLOR, as are other members of the Shelby County Citizens Council, including BARNEY L. LOFTON. He further pointed out that BARNEY L. LOFTON, SR., is running for the office of Shelby County Court in the forthcoming August 4, 1960, Democratic Primary and that [redacted] is quite active in supporting LOFTON'S campaign. He pointed out that both LOFTON and he and other members of the Shelby County Citizens Council who he stated he did not desire to identify, had been campaigning for TAYLOR, but said that they are not official members of the TAYLOR campaign and that the work which they do is unsolicited and unauthorized by the TAYLOR campaign management.

With regard to the picture which is captioned "ESTES GREETED", [redacted] pointed out that this picture and the accompanying caption "ESTES GREETED", originally appeared in the Memphis Commercial Appeal Newspaper as an Associated Press photograph, about four years ago. He pointed out that since he has never been a supporter of Kefauver, he clipped this article for future reference. He commented that sometime later, he had a negative made of this newspaper clipping and photograph, and that this is the negative which he has used in reproducing said picture in both the May and July, 1960 issues of "Political Report". He pointed out that the May and July issues which contain this photograph definitely show a line running through the upper left corner. He explained that this line was originally caused by a tear in the original clipping and that when it was photographed and a negative thereof made, the tear was depicted in the negative.

[redacted] was exhibited samples or copies of other material thus far collected in this case, which were unlabeled, and he made particular reference to the unlabeled photograph of ESTES KEFAUVER, bearing the caption,"ESTES GREETED" and bearing the title over the photograph "ESTES IS THE BESTEST LIBERAL-SOCIALIST IN THE LAND",

and pointed out that this picture does not appear to have the lines in the upper left-hand corner which depict the tear in the negative possessed by him. He stated that he still has this negative, but that it is currently in the custody of an individual located in the Shelby County, Tennessee Courthouse and that he did not feel free to identify this person by name.

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[redacted] stated that he had no idea as to who had prepared, printed, or distributed any of the other literature which was unlabeled, which has been obtained in connection with instant investigation. He did personally read and look at two circulars, one beginning: "Dear Comrade: Due to many past victories....." and ending" International Committee of Human Brotherhood" and a circular beginning "Dear Comrade: Integration is about to come to Memphis schools!!..." and ending, "Committee on Human Relations". He noted that both of these circulars contained references to Senator **ESTES KEFAUVER**, and he denied that he had previously seen any of these; denied that he had prepared the text of these or had anything to do with their printing or distribution. He denied that he had any knowledge as to who may have prepared them, printed them, or distributed them.

[redacted] did state that he had seen about two months ago a similar circular beginning, "Dear Comrade:" which contained a reference to a boycott of the Automobile Sales Company in Memphis, Tennessee, because of the fact that Automobile Sales used Negro salesmen. He stated that this amused him and that he had made reference to this boycott in the May, 1960 issue of the "Political Report" which he edits. He stated that he had no knowledge as to who may have prepared that particular "Dear Comrade" circular. He stated he could not recall where he had seen the circular or who had given it to him. He stated that he did not now have it in his possession.

[redacted] volunteered that [redacted] of [redacted] West Memphis, Arkansas, the wife of [redacted] has operated a print shop in West Memphis for several years and that she formerly operated a printing shop known as [redacted]. He stated that he has known [redacted] for several years, having originally met her at a meeting of the Association of Citizens Councils of Memphis, Tennessee, at the Hotel Claridge in Memphis. He stated that back when the Citizens Council was active and

had a mass membership about four years ago, that he had [redacted] print some "Citizens Council Bulletins" and that on various occasions she has printed miscellaneous material for him. He stated, in fact, that she has recently printed a letter for him put out over the name of the Shelby County Citizens Council, Memphis, Tennessee, and which bears his signature, [redacted] showing him to be the Executive Secretary thereof. He explained that this particular letter is being used in the current political campaign in the City of Memphis and does not mention any Federal candidates. It merely shows that the Citizens Council is supporting four individuals who are running for the office of Shelby County Court.

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During the interview, [redacted] furnished, voluntarily, to the interviewing Agents copies of the May, April, and July, 1960 issues of "Political Report". He also furnished a copy of the above-described letter, which is captioned: "Shelby County Citizens Council, Box 3682, Memphis, Tennessee" beginning: "Dear Citizen," and ending "Yours for decent government, Shelby County Citizens Council, [redacted] Executive Secretary." These items are being retained.

[redacted] pointed out that P. O. Box 3682 is used by both the Shelby County Citizens Council and the "Political Report".

During the interview, [redacted] raised the question as to whether or not his publication of the "Political Report" in its current form where it shows only a return address of P. O. Box 3682 Memphis, Tennessee, would be in violation of Title 18, Section 612, United States Code, dealing with unlabeled political literature in connection with Federal election campaigns.

[redacted] was told that the FBI was not in position and was not authorized to render legal opinions and that if there is any question in his mind in this regard, that he should feel free to consult an attorney of his choice in this matter.

[redacted] volunteered thereafter that he intended, if at all possible, to continue the publication of "Political Report" and that he was in the process of preparing the August issue at that time. He wanted to know whether it would be all right for him to put his name on the masthead of the August issue of "Political Report" in order to come within the purview of Section 612, Title 18,

United States Code. [redacted] was again told by the interviewing Agents that the FBI could not and would not render any legal opinion in this regard and that he had the right, if he so desired, to consult an attorney of his choice in this matter.

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[redacted] volunteered that [redacted] wife of [redacted] telephoned him around Sunday, July 24, 1960, at which time she was most critical of the FBI because of its search of her home on Saturday, July 23, 1960, during which time she claimed to [redacted] that the FBI had taken a considerable amount of her printing plates, negatives, proofs, and paper plates, including plates and negatives which she had used in preparing the April and May, 1960 issues of the "Political Report."

[redacted] volunteered that actually the plates used in the preparation of the "Political Report" actually belonged to him and not to [redacted] He explained that he had merely left them in her custody in the event that he desired to have her at some future date print additional copies of the "Political Report".

[redacted] stated he was reluctant to show, in "Political Report" that he was the editor thereof, due to a concern on his part that his political opponents might harass him.

The following is a description obtained of [redacted] from observation and questioning:

Name	[redacted]
Race	White
Sex	Male
Height	5'8"
Weight	160
Hair	Brown
Mustache	Wears small mustache
Eyes	Blue
Born	[redacted]
Birthplace	Wayne, West Virginia
Occupation	Mechanic Capital Airlines, Memphis, Tennessee
Residence	[redacted] Shelby County, Tennessee

[redacted] stated that the above facts are all in his possession. He stated that he did not wish to incorporate the above in the form of a signed statement.

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ANCEL J. WEATHERINGTON, 1502 Dunmoor Road, Memphis, Tennessee, when approached at his home at the above address by interviewing Agents at approximately 7:30 A. M. stated emphatically that he had nothing to discuss with the FBI. He made this statement immediately after the Agents identified themselves and before the Agents had an opportunity to explain to WEATHERINGTON the purpose and nature of the intended interview.

When the Agents attempted to explain to WEATHERINGTON the nature of the intended interview, he laughed out loud in an apparently nervous manner and abruptly stated that he would not further listen to the Agents and reiterated that he would say nothing to the Agents, following which he closed the door to his residence.

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[redacted] Memphis, Tennessee, telephonically contacted the Memphis Office and furnished the following information:

[redacted] said he understood that material such as that received by him during instant political campaign, anti-Kefauver in nature, has reportedly, according to rumors he has received, been prepared by BARNEY L. LOFTON and possibly his wife. [redacted] said he has heard through rumors and hearsay that BARNEY LOFTON's wife has been active in the distribution of such material. He said that it is his impression that this type of literature is put out by BARNEY LOFTON "and his crowd." [redacted] was unable to furnish any information as to the identity of BARNEY LOFTON's "crowd."

[redacted] said he has heard that [redacted] is in jail. He was unable to furnish any details in this regard.

[redacted] said further that he had recently been contacted by a Negro male, who is associated with the new Negro newspaper being published in Memphis. He said he had no details regarding this newspaper, but understood that it was primarily an "advertising scheme." He said this Negro whose identity he cannot furnish since he does not recall his name, indicated to [redacted] that the type of material that [redacted] received through the mail as previously explained by [redacted] might possibly be printed in a small printing shop in Millington, Tennessee. [redacted] said he understood it was possible that BARNEY LOFTON may have had this printing done at this Millington printing shop. He said that this was speculation on his part and that he had no basis, in fact, for this statement. He further said he had no details as to the exact location or the identity of the persons connected with the printing shop reportedly located at Millington, Tennessee.

[redacted] was questioned as to the source of his information, particularly the "rumors" he has received. He said this was just general information and that he could not recall the source.

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MELVIN O. WARD, 872 Fite Road, which address is Route 3, Box 704, Millington, Tennessee, was interviewed at his residence. He advised that he is a printer by trade and owns a small letter-press printing press which he has in a back room of his home in storage. He exhibited this printing press to the agent and it was observed that it was stored among considerable amount of household furniture and household goods and apparently not in use at the present time.

WARD advised that he has not done any printing for several years. He specifically stated that he has not performed any printing in connection with the current Tennessee senatorial campaign. He was exhibited copies of various items of unlabeled political literature which had been circulated in the KEFAUVER - TAYLOR primary senatorial campaign. He said he has not previously seen any of this literature and has no idea as to who may be responsible for its publication or distribution.

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[redacted] telephonically contacted the Memphis Office of the FBI and advised that since his previous interview in this investigation, he has learned that a considerable number of Memphis businessmen are having their printing jobs done at Covington, Tennessee, with [redacted] who operates [redacted] there. [redacted] said he understands [redacted] does very good work and is very reasonable pricewise. He said it has occurred to him that anyone wanting to secure printing of the type of political literature involved in this investigation might have such done by [redacted] in view of his reasonable prices and location away from Memphis and Shelby County. [redacted] emphasized he does not know [redacted] and has no reason to suspect he has printed any of the political literature in question and has no knowledge whatever which would involve [redacted] in such an operation. He said he was suggesting [redacted]'S name as a lead.

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Doctor ROSS PRITCHARD telephonically contacted the Memphis Office and advised SA JOSEPH A. CANALE that he had received information from BOB HAWKES, Chairman of Ward and Precinct workers, KEFAUVER Headquarters, King Cotton Hotel, Memphis, Tennessee, that a new type of circular anti-KEFAUVER in nature was about to be distributed in very large quantities and that workers for the KEFAUVER campaign had managed to, in a confidential manner, come into possession of one of these circulars. Dr. PRITCHARD said he understood these circulars had a couple of pictures of KEFAUVER on them and that the circulars were not labeled. He said he understood from available information that they were put out by the TAYLOR Campaign Headquarters and that they were being printed at Rodney Baber Printing Company in Memphis.

Dr. PRITCHARD said the amount was probably exaggerated, but the report was that a million of these circulars were planned for distribution. He said he felt BOB HAWKES could furnish further information and requested that Mr. HAWKES be contacted.

Dr. PRITCHARD inquired as to whether the FBI could take any action to prevent the distribution of these circulars. He was advised that the FBI did not have authority to authorize or to prevent anyone from distributing any type of political material.

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BOB HAWKES, 3596 Mayfair, Memphis, Tennessee, home telephone GL 2-0884, who is chairmain of ward and precinct workers at KEFAUVER Campaign Headquarters, King Cotton Hotel, was interviewed at KEFAUVER Campaign Headquarters.

Mr. HAWKES furnished one copy of a sheet of paper in the form of a circular, this sheet being approximately $8\frac{1}{2}$ x 14 inches in size. At the very top of this circular, appears the printing "This is a reprint of photographs appearing the The Nashville-Banner" and a sub-caption in large bold print appears immediately beneath that caption and reads "At Kefauver Fund Party." Beneath these two captions are two photographs approximately $5\frac{1}{2}$ x $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches in size, one beneath the other; the top photograph shows five white persons standing together and beneath this photograph is the following text: "Mrs. ESTES KEFAUVER, Senator KEFAUVER, F. JOSEPH(FIGGS) DONOHUE, and Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM BURKHALTER talk over the Tennessee Political Situation During a Fund-Raising Party in Washington for KEFAUVER's Renomination Campaign. DONOHUE headed KEFAUVER's ill-fated Campaign for the 1956 Democratic Presidential Nomination. BURKHALTER is formerly of McKenzie."

Immediately below the above photo and text appears a second photo which is a picture of two white men and a Negro man and Negro woman. Beneath this photo appears the following text: "Among KEFAUVER's well-wishers and contributors at Sundays Mayflower Hotel get-together were PAUL CUNNINGHAM of New York, Executive Director of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP); DOLLY and SIMUEL MC CLENNON, formerly of Memphis, and MILTON KRONHEIM, a Washington liquor wholesaler." Beneath this photograph and text appears the following printing:

"Mr. KEFAUVER brags about his support by Northern Liberals, but we haven't heard him mention these supporters pictured above or the support of the NAACP."

Mr. HAWKES initialed the face of the above described

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circular for purposes of identification. He explained that shortly before the interview, GEORGE W. BLOOD, a precinct leader in the KEFAUVER campaign, had brought this circular to Headquarters. BLOOD explained that earlier during the day, he had stopped by an Oman House on Union, near the 2000 block, and was eating when he observed a male white person exhibit this circular to the waitress. He said he explained to this person he was a KEFAUVER worker and was interested in this literature since it appeared to be irregular. This individual whose name was not available to Mr. HAWKES, stated that [redacted] that company was printing one million copies of this circular; that they have been working for more than a day or two on the project; and that the circulars would soon be distributed. Mr. HAWKES said BLOOD gave him the impression that this circular was the only one of this particular group which had, at that time, left the printers. [redacted] told BLOOD he just took one of the copies because he thought it was funny. Mr. HAWKES said he does not know who might be paying Rodney Baber for printing this material if Baber is doing so. He says he does know that Rodney Baber is a TAYLOR supporter as is his Sales Manager, BILL BROWN.

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Mr. HAWKES also furnished agents with 17 copies of a circular which he described as "Doorknob tags." These circulars are 12 x 4 inches in size, have a hole and split tab arrangement for fastening the same about doorknobs so they may hang therefrom. On one side of this circular, which is of semi-stiff, cardboard-type paper, white in color, with blue print, appears a photograph of Judge ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR with the caption of "Ten for Tip, Tip for Tenn," following which is the text "Will you please get ten people to vote for TIP TAYLOR?"

Beneath this printing, appears approximately 14 points in the nature of platform material in behalf of TAYLOR. The reverse side of this circular has the printing in blue of "Vote for TIP TAYLOR" along each side of the top. Immediately beneath this is the printing "Directions. Please read. 1. Hang this card on inside front doorknob as a reminder to vote August 4. 2. Keep card, drawing will be held Wednesday night before election day and winning number will be posted in the Commercial Appeal on August 4, 1960. 3. Person holding card with winning number will

have 48 hours to call BR 6-3236". In large bold type appears "Mother will you pledge 'my family will vote". You as a mother have the opportunity to elect competent public officials. You realize the direct effect upon your family."

Further printing towards the bottom of the card is "To reward a job well done, the type of Government you want for your family plus one 'tailor' made suit, plus 5,000 quality stamps." Below this is printed a coupon type arrangement with the wording "$100 value - ladies suit - Free, Free." A number appears in the middle of this coupon.

Mr. HAWKES said that [redacted] a Kefauver Headquarters worker, had gone to Taylor Headquarters in the Claridge Hotel and, under pretext, secured a supply of these doorknob-type circulars. b6 b7C

Mr. HAWKES said he felt the circulars were illegal since they are not labeled as to the identity of persons responsible for their publication and distribution.

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[redacted] Millington, Tennessee, advised on interview she is a volunteer worker in the KEFAUVER Headquarters located in King Cotton Hotel in Memphis, Tennessee. She advised that on this date, July 28, 1960, she personally walked to the campaign headquarters of Judge TAYLOR located on the fifth floor of the Claridge Hotel. She said she went into the headquarters and signed the register, identifying herself as "JANET WILSON." She said she was interested in securing information concerning the TAYLOR Campaign and asked for a supply of the doorknob-type of circulars. She said a man known to her as JOHN MASON, male white, age late fifties, height about 5'8", stocky build, big stomach, and white hair, went through a room into the back of the headquarters and returned handing her about 50 of these circulars. She said the circulars furnished by Mr. HAWKES to the agents were among the ones secured by her at TAYLOR Headquarters as above described.

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[redacted] placed her initials on two of these circulars for purposes of identification.

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The following additional descriptive data was secured during this interview:

Name:	RODNEY BABER
Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Age:	about 50
Height:	About 6'
Weight:	About 185 lbs.
Complection:	Medium
Eyes:	Unknown color, wears glasses
Hair:	Brown, greying, balding,
Occupation:	Owner & operator, Rodney Baber & Co.

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MOTHER

Will you pledge?

"My Family Will Vote"

You as a modern Mother have the opportunity to elect competent public officials. You realize the direct effect upon your family.

To Reward A Job Well Done
The type of Government you want
for your family, ***plus***

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One ~~Taylor~~—Made Suit
plus
5,000 Quality Stamps

$100.00 VALUE—LADIES SUIT

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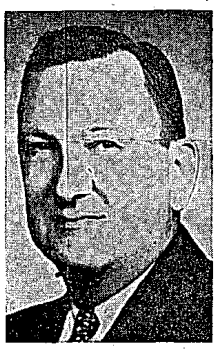


TEN FOR TIP, TIP FOR TENN.

Will You Please Get Ten People To Vote For Tip Taylor

★ **TVA**—Needs more votes in the Congress of the United States. I shall strive to reverse the present trend against TVA. An adequate supply of electrical energy is vital to Tennessee.

★ **FARMERS**—Farmers and farm organizations know their problems best. They will find me on the job, always ready and willing to work for them.

★ **SOCIAL SECURITY**—I shall support this humane program, with the goal of extending its coverage while protecting the purchasing power of its dollar-benefits to the end that our aged, crippled, blind and needy people may have the full value of what they expected.

★ **VETERANS**—I am an overseas veteran and a Guardsman. I am for the veterans and their families 100%.

★ **LABOR**—I am a friend of labor, organized and unorganized. My father was a member of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. The working man should receive his fair share of the industrial income.

★ **HIGHWAYS AND AIRPORTS**—This aid must continue. Both are military necessities and arteries of commerce.

★ **FOREIGN AID**—Many tax dollars are being wasted through extravagance. The money saved here could be used for our people at home. This program needs a thorough housecleaning.

★ **TAXES**—We should have a reduction—not an increase—in taxes. With sound judgment we can have a reduction without depriving ourselves.

★ **MILITARY**—Peace is our supreme goal. Only through strength can we attain it.

★ **DRUG COSTS**—The cost of drugs for our ill and aged can be, and should be, reduced but within the terms of our free enterprise system.

★ **FEDERAL AID**—My vote will always be governed by the needs of the people of Tennessee.

★ **HOUSING**—The FHA program will be, and should be, continued.

★ **EDUCATION**—I am opposed to Federal Control of what is taught in our schools. There are areas in which Federal assistance is warranted, especially in the field of science and technology.

★ **FOREIGN GOODS**—Tennessee industries and the Tennessee working people should be protected by legislation from cut-throat foreign competition.

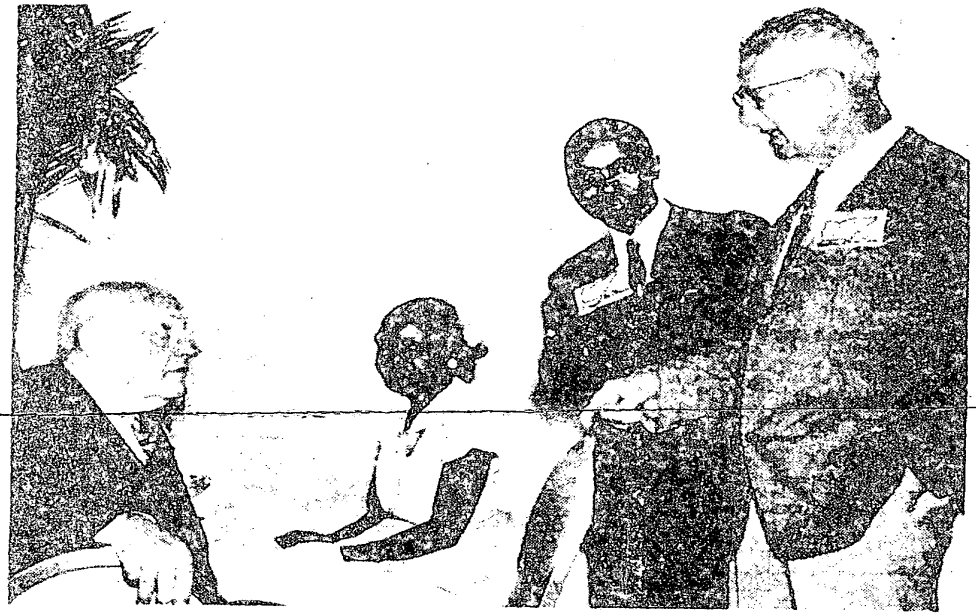
ENCLOSURES TO BUREAU

2 copies each of (1) Verifax copy of unlabeled political circular
(2) "doorknob" circular, unlabeled.

THIS IS A REPRINT OF PHOTOGRAPHS
APPEARING IN THE NASHVILLE BANNER --

At Kefauver Fund Party

Mrs. Estes Kefauver, Senator Kefauver, F. Joseph (Diggs) Donohue and Mr. and Mrs. William Burkhalter talk over the Tennessee political situation during a fund-raising party in Washington for Kefauver's renomination campaign. Donohue headed Kefauver's ill fated campaign for the 1956 Democratic presidential nomination. Burkhalter is formerly of McKenzie.



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Among Kefauver's well-wishers and contributors at Sunday's Mayflower Hotel get-together were Paul Cunningham of New York, executive director of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP); Dolly and Simuel McClennon, formerly of Memphis, and Milton Kronheim, a Washington liquor wholesaler.

Mr. Kefauver brags about his support by Northern Liberals but we haven't heard him mention these supporters pictured above or the support of the N.A.A.C.P.

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Date: 8/6/60

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Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335) ATTENTION: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR ROSEN

FROM: SAC, LITTLE ROCK (56-92)

RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.;
ET AL
ELECTION LAWS
OO: MEMPHIS

Remytel dated August 5, 1960.

On August 5, 1960, SA [redacted] of the West Memphis, Arkansas, RA, on arriving home at approximately 8:30 p.m., was advised by his wife of receipt of two telephone calls in which the caller was not identified. In one of these calls the caller asked if [redacted] subscribed to the West Memphis Evening Times.

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At 8:55 p.m. an individual who identified himself as [redacted] telephonically contacted SA [redacted] at his residence and indicated that he is a farmer of Proctor, Arkansas, although he resides at West Memphis. He advised SA [redacted] he had been waiting around SA [redacted]'S house for him to come home from work but had not seen him and hedwas therefore telephoning him. [redacted] advised he was outraged at the conduct of the FBI Agents in searching the residence of [redacted] of West Memphis as alleged by [redacted] whose charges had appeared in the West Memphis Evening Times of August 5, 1960. [redacted] protested about the seizure of literature and advised he had some of this type literature at his residence and that it would take more than "five armed FBI Agents to obtain this literature from my house". An attempt was made to explain to [redacted] the search had been conducted pursuant to the issuance of a search warrant and that [redacted] had not been abused in any way; however, [redacted] interrupted and indicated he had already been to see the Sheriff of Crittenden County, Arkansas, the County

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Judge of Crittenden County, Arkansas, and Congressman E. C. "TOOK" GATHINGS to protest about the conduct of the FBI.

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After the statement of [redacted] that he had some of the literature of the type maintained by the [redacted] he was questioned as to whether he was a Klansman and whether he had participated in any bombing and he replied that he had not, but indicated he was fighting for principles in which he greatly believed and that he wanted his identity known so that his name could be placed at the top of any list which the FBI maintained. Because of [redacted]'S angry denunciation on the telephone he was questioned as to whether he had been drinking intoxicants and he denied that he had been. Following this questioning he hung up and thereafter SA [redacted] returned the telephone call to the telephone listed to [redacted] at West Memphis, Arkansas, noting that he resides at [redacted] verified that he had placed the call to SA [redacted] and no further conversation ensued.

The current City Directory for West Memphis, Arkansas, reveals that [redacted] is a merchant and planter and Assistant Chief of Police PARVIN ROMINES (NA), of West Memphis, advised [redacted] is a young man with whom he is not personally acquainted but that [redacted] is a member of an influential Crittenden County, Arkansas, family which has considerable land holdings in Crittenden County, Arkansas.

County Judge MILTON BECK, who resides in the immediate vicinity of the residence of [redacted] was thereafter telephonically contacted and he advised he had not been contacted by [redacted] about this matter and that he knew of no association between the [redacted] family and the [redacted] family inasmuch as the [redacted] and [redacted] family are greatly different by reason of background and wealth.

The above is being brought to the attention of the Bureau in view of [redacted]'S statement that he had contacted Congressman E. C. GATHINGS of Arkansas and it

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should be noted that [redacted] has been reported to be responsible for making protests to Congressman GATHINGS which were in turn relayed to the Bureau in September, 1957, in connection with the "INTEGRATION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN LITTLE ROCK, CR; COC; OOJ", Bureau File 44-12,284, and Little Rock File 44-341. Investigation thus far in the cases concerning "[redacted] ET AL, BOMBING MATTERS" and also the case concerning Election Laws in which this airtel is being written, has failed to reveal any association between the subjects of those cases and [redacted] and it is not believed that any worthwhile benefit will be gained in attempting to contact [redacted] any further and no interview is recommended with him.

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No action pending

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335)

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (56-82)

RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.; ET AL
ELECTION LAWS

OO: Memphis

Re Little Rock Airtel to Memphis, 8/9/60.

Referenced Airtel refers to FBI Laboratory Report to Little Rock dated 8/5/60 and to Little Rock letter to Bureau dated 8/8/60. Little Rock requested Memphis to contact the U. S. Attorney and review with him the results of the laboratory examination relative to all items obtained during the search of the home of [redacted] on 7/23/60 and to obtain from the U. S. Attorney his opinion as to the disposition of the material obtained during the execution of this search warrant and to determine whether the U. S. Attorney desires these items be forwarded to him to be used in connection with the prosecution of this case.

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It is pointed out that the Memphis Office is not in possession of information indicating the Department of Justice has reached any decision with reference to prosecution in this investigation. It therefore appears premature to contact the USA at this point prior to receipt of information concerning the Department's decision regarding prosecution. UACB, the Memphis Office will not contact the USA at this time as requested.

Little Rock requested to maintain possession of the items in question until information has been received indicating the desires of the Department in this matter.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335)

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (56-82)

RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.; ET AL
ELECTION LAWS

Enclosed herewith is an article which appeared in the "Memphis Press-Scimitar" newspaper, Memphis, Tenn., 8/5/60, which reflects information allegedly furnished by [redacted] West Memphis, Arkansas. It makes certain allegations against Bureau Agents.

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I have been in telephonic contact with SAC CASPER, Little Rock Office, and he has advised me that the information concerning the release made by [redacted] was the subject of a telephone call to the Bureau as well as a teletype to the Bureau today. SAC CASPER also advised that he has forwarded a copy of his teletype to the Bureau to the Memphis Office by mail.

As one Agent from the Memphis Office participated in the search in question, an appropriate affidavit will be obtained from this Agent upon receipt of Little Rock teletype. For the Bureau's information, the Memphis Agent who participated in this search is SA WILLIAM H. LAWRENCE. I have discussed the matter with him and he emphatically refutes the allegations made by [redacted] The affidavit when obtained from SA LAWRENCE will be forwarded to the Bureau with a copy for Little Rock.

1cc: AAG Civil Rights Division
Form 6-95

For the information of the Bureau and Little Rock, I have received no press inquiries concerning the release by [redacted] Should I receive any press inquiries concerning the release by [redacted] I will make no comment.

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A Verifax copy of the above described newspaper article is enclosed herewith for Little Rock.

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Anti-Estes Printed Matter Is Seized

West Memphis Home of Man Accused In Bombing Plot Searched by FBI

By DOROTHY Y. WARD, *Press-Scimitar Staff Writer*

Segregationist literature, some of which may have been used in the Tennessee Democratic Primary, was seized at the home of Emmett E. Miller, 44, of 601 Ingram Boulevard, West Memphis, the FBI reported today.

The FBI said the investigation of Miller's print shop was being made at the request of U. S. Dist. Atty. Warner Hodges of Memphis. It apparently concerns the campaign for senator between the victor, Sen. Estes Kefauver, and Judge Andrew (Tip) Taylor of Jackson.

Investigation of the political material is apparently not related to the arrest of Miller, Robert Lloyd Parks, also of West Memphis, and Hugh Lynn Adams of Bassett, Ark., in connection with the attempted bombing of Philander Smith College in Little Rock early last month.

Search Warrants

U. S. Commissioner John E. Coates issued search warrants for the FBI search. Documents filed in Federal District Court showed the FBI seized negatives, stencils and printing material used in printing Ku Klux Klan and segregationist literature. The seizures were made in a search of the Miller home July 23.

Among the objects the FBI said were taken was a photographic negative of a picture purportedly showing Sen. Kefauver shaking hands with a negro, and a negative used in printing applications for membership in "The Original Ku Klux Klan." A total of 32 items were taken from the Miller home including stencils of Shelby County, Tenn., Citizens Council literature, the FBI report said.

A federal law prohibits distribution of unsigned political literature.

Miller, when called at his home in West Memphis, said: "I have nothing to do with the

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printing business. This is merely a further attempt at villification of my character by the FBI."

5 Agents Came

Mrs. Miller said she and her mother were alone when five FBI agents searched the house and print shop, connected to the house. She said the off-set printing business is exclusively hers.

Mrs. Miller said five armed FBI agents "came into our home July 23 and searched my print shop and our home. She said they searched the premises at length, "opened personal mail that had not been opened and questioned me at length as to who my customers were."

"Upon my refusal to give them the names of any of my customers, they informed me I could go to court and take the blame for my printing," she said. Mrs. Miller said they confiscated 32 items of printing, all of which pertained to segregation.

She denied she had printed unsigned political literature for circulation during Estes Kefauver's campaign.

'A Lie'

"Their insinuation that I have printed any segregationist literature which is either illegal or immoral in any way is likewise a lie," she said.

She said her husband had nothing to do with the printing.

An FBI report also was filed on a search of the auto parts firm which Parks operates near West Memphis. This report said agents seized a pan containing a black solution, charred debris, including a small metal can and top, burned paper and wire and some unrecognizable items.

Hodges said the investigation is being continued. He said, "It is possible others are involved, some of them Tennesseans."

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AIRTEL

To: SAC, Memphis (56-82)

From: Director, FBI (56-2335)

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RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., et al.
ELECTION LAWS

Enclosed are two copies of a self-explanatory memorandum from Harold R. Tyler, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, dated 8/11/60.

Comply with the request of the Civil Rights Division. Expedite completion. Immediately submit memorandum showing exact status of investigation, action being taken to insure completion at earliest possible date and date all pending investigation will be completed and reported.

Enclosures (2)

NOTE:

Full investigation being conducted regarding anti-Kefauver literature distributed in apparent violation of Section 612, Title 18, USC, which requires such literature to be labeled. Dept. has been sending requests piecemeal and it is considered desirable to determine exactly where Memphis stands.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation DATE: AUG 11 1960

FROM Harold R. Tyler, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division HRT,Jr.:JHF:bab

SUBJECT: Richard Jackson Burrow, Jr., et al.; Election Laws. 72-70-63 5266

This refers to your transmittal memorandum of August 1, 1960, enclosing a memorandum dated July 29, 1960, at Memphis, together with copies of two circulars, both referred to in the memorandum.

In response to your query, please include the circular headed, "THIS IS A REPRINT OF PHOTOGRAPHS APPEARING IN THE NASHVILLE BANNER --" in the full investigation of violations of 18 U.S.C. 612 presently being conducted.

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Via AIR-TEL AIR MAIL
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335)

FROM: SAC, KNOXVILLE (56-68)

RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., et al
ELECTION LAWS

Re Bureau airtel to Knoxville dated 8/9/60.

Enclosed are 4 copies of letterhead memo concerning the disposition of papers reflecting wording and mailing list used on postcards by LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

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1cc: AAG Civil Rights Division
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1 cc CIVIL RIGHTS UNIT

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Knoxville, Tennessee
August 11, 1960

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.;
WILLIAM NATHAN MATHIS;
ALLEN AUSBON;
UNKNOWN SUBJECTS
ELECTION LAWS

On August 11, 1960, LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND, who is presently confined to Erlanger Hospital, Chattanooga, Tennessee, advised Special Agent GEORGE C. WELBORN that the papers containing the wording used on postcards mailed at Chattanooga, Tennessee, by JOSEPH EARL SCOTT was destroyed by HOLLAND at his residence. He advised that he used this rough draft copy in typing the postcards and then tore it into small pieces and threw it into his personal trash container at his residence. States this trash container would have been emptied by a commerical garbage company, East Ridge, Tennessee, within a day or two thereafter. States the paper was an ordinary type of commerical paper, color and size unrecalled. States also that the mailing list furnished by SCOTT was on ordinary type of commerical paper, color and size unrecalled, and it was also disposed of immediately after the typing of these postcards in the same manner as described above. HOLLAND states he would be unable to identify similar types of paper furnished him by SCOTT and does not know where SCOTT may have obtained the paper he used.

This is loaned to you by the FBI, and neither it nor its contents are to be distributed outside the agency to which loaned.

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AIRTEL

To: SAC, Memphis (56-82)

From: Director, FBI (56-2335) - 54

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RICHARD JACKSON BURROWS, JR., et al.
ELECTION LAWS

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Reairtel 8/12/60.

The Bureau concurs that no further investigation should be made of this material since it is labeled with the source of publication. This information should, of course, be included in your next investigative report and copies of the material should be included as enclosures to the report. It should be set forth in the report that this material has been circulated for several years by the Christian Patriots Crusade, P. O. Box 147, Hinsdale, Illinois, and that the Christian Patriots Crusade is a one-man organization started in 1956 by Forrest Allen Mann, Jr. The organization publishes a pamphlet known as the "Revere" which has been described as being violently anti-Semitic and anti-Negro.

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NOTE:

Department requested we obtain copies of material described in an item in the "New York Times" and conduct investigation if the material were found to not be properly labeled. Material has been determined to be an anti-Negro, anti=Semitic throw away which has been given wide distribution by Christian Patriots Crusade during the past several years and it is accurately labeled as to source.

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Date: AUGUST 12, 1960

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Via AIR-TEL
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335)

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (56-82)

RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.; ET AL
ELECTION LAWS

ReBuair-tel to Memphis, 8/9/60, which enclosed copies of news article from 7/24/60 issue of "New York Times," captioned "Kefauver Fights to Keep His Seat." Copy of this news article is enclosed for Knoxville. Bureau's attention is invited to the last paragraph in left column of this article concerning the alleged distribution of anti-Kefauver literature at Lafollette, Tenn. Report of SA JOHN A. PARKER dated 8/1/60 at Knoxville submitted in this investigation, beginning on Page 33, records rather lengthy investigation concerning the circular captioned, "Ask Yourself a Question..."

With respect to the material described in the column on the right of the "Times" article just below caption "Racial Tones," FRANK GRAY, JR., Mayor of Franklin, Tenn., former State Manager of Senator KEFAUVER's recent campaign for renomination as U. S. Senator for Tennessee, was contacted 8/11/60 at Nashville, Tenn. He furnished copy of circular entitled, "Save the White Race," which bore a subcaption "The Hell-Inspired Jews Seek to Destroy the White Race" and contains a cartoon of a Negro man embracing a white woman, and the caption "The Result of Race Mixing." At the bottom of the circular is indicated that extra copies may be obtained at the rate of fifty for $1.00 from Christian Patriots Crusade, Post Office Box 147, Hinsdale, Ill.

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Mr. GRAY said he received this piece of literature from Senator KEFAUVER and that it had been included in the "smear file" at Nashville State Headquarters of the Kefauver Campaign. Senator KEFAUVER received this item about 5/10/60 from Mr. RHEA CRAWFORD, 615 Market Street, Knoxville, Tenn., with advice that the circular had been handed Mr. CRAWFORD by one ARTHUR COLE of LaFollette, Tenn. Noted that on Pages 75 and 80 interviews with ARTHUR BRUCE COLE are set out in referenced report of SA PARKER. With respect to this particular piece of literature, which Mr. GRAYdid not furnish during previous interviews conducted during this investigation, Mr. GRAY stated he did not believe the circular had any political connotation but rather it was of the "hate" or "racist" type of literature which was probably distributed by members of some "hate" or "racist" group in the eastern part of Tennessee.

Mr. GRAY indicated that during late July, 1960, CLAUDE SITTON, Southern Region Correspondent of the "New York Times" had reviewed samples of literature in the "Smear File" at KEFAUVER Campaign Headquarters and had seen the item in question. Mr. GRAY said he did not mean to imply to Mr. SITTON that the above-described circular was one which was being distributed or circulated for political purposes.

Three Verifax copies of above-described circular are enclosed herewith for the Bureau and two Verifax copies for the Knoxville Office.

In view of the character of the "Save the White Race" circular and the present indication as to lack of reference to Senator KEFAUVER or of any political connotation as pointed out by Mr. GRAY, UACB no further investigation being conducted regarding this item, it being further noted the item is apparently labeled as to its source.

THE KNOXVILLE DIVISION

LEAD

Knoxville is requested to complete the remaining investigation at LaFollette, Tenn., with respect to the other anti-KEFAUVER literature according to the lead set out in referenced report of SA PARKER at Knoxville. Bureau instructs

in reair-tel that investigation be completed and report submitted within seven days from receipt of reair-tel which was received at Memphis Office, 8/11/69, and that all persons interviewed be advised the investigation conducted at specific instructions of HAROLD R. TYLER, JR., Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division.

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335)

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (56-82)

3 Verifax copies of circular captioned "Save the White Race"

8/12/60

56-2335-54

ENCLOSURE

SAVE THE WHITE RACE

The Hell-Inspired Jews seek to destroy the White Race

THE RESULT OF RACE-MIXING

The Jews are behind race-mixing and mongrelization. The trouble-making NAACP IS NOT really a Negro organization; it is under the domination and control of foulmouthed, death-breathing JEWS. Jesus Christ exposed the Jews in all their naked infamy AND THEY MURDERED HIM, Now the Jews seek to enslave Christendom and destroy the white race because they hate all Christians and because the pure white race is the pipeline of Christianity.

Extra copies: 50 for $1.00. Christian Patriots Crusade, P.O. Box 147, Hinsdale, Ill.

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Date: 8/16/60

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335)

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (56-82)

RE: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., ET AL
ELECTION LAWS

ReBuairtel 8/15/60.

For information Little Rock and Knoxville, referenced Buairtel instructed this office to advise exact status of investigation.

Knoxville requested to advise Bureau and Memphis immediately as to date investigation will be completed and date RUC report will be submitted.

Little Rock expedite submission of RUC report immediately on receipt of results of Laboratory examination.

For information of Bureau, only investigation remaining Memphis Division is the new request forwarded to Memphis Office by referenced Buairtel. It is not anticipated that extensive period of time will be necessary to complete this additional investigation; however, investigation to be conducted presently being analyzed and Bureau will be advised by airtel 8/17/60 as to date investigation will be completed. Memphis Office will be in position to submit closing report immediately upon receipt of RUC reports from auxiliary offices.

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TITLE OF CASE	REPORT MADE BY	TYPED BY
RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.; ET AL	SA JOSEPH A. CANALE	MJH
	CHARACTER OF CASE	
	ELECTION LAWS	

SYNOPSIS

REFERENCES

Report of SA JOSEPH A. CANALE dated 8/5/60 at Memphis.
Report of SA JOHN A. PARKER dated 8/1/60 at Knoxville.
Buair-tel to Memphis dated 8/9/60.
Memphis air-tel to Bureau dated 8/12/60.

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ENCLOSURES TO BUREAU (4): 2 Verifax copies each of circulars entitled "Save the White Race" and "Ask Yourself This Question."

LEADS

THE KNOXVILLE DIVISION

AT LA FOLLETTE, TENNESSEE

1. Will complete the investigation at La Follette concerning the "Ask Yourself This Question" circular and related

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investigation at La Follette. This lead was set out in Memphis air-tel to Director (copy for Knoxville) dated 8/12/60.

2. Will report results of all FBI Laboratory examination conducted in respect to items submitted by the Knoxville Division.

THE LITTLE ROCK DIVISION

Will submit report recording results of all Laboratory examinations concerning all items submitted for examination by the Little Rock Division in this case.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Bureau by referenced air-tel of 8/12/60 was furnished three copies of the circular "Save the White Race," and the Knoxville Office was furnished one copy of this circular.

By letter to Bureau, attention - FBI Laboratory, dated 7/26/60 the Knoxville Office furnished the Laboratory copy of circular "Ask Yourself This Question."

The Memphis Office is furnishing two copies each of these two circulars as enclosures to this report for the convenience of the Bureau, since in Department's letter to the Bureau of 8/5/60 regarding these circulars it was requested that copies of these items be secured. As pointed out in Memphis air-tel to Bureau of 8/12/60, Memphis Office UACB is conducting no further investigation regarding the "Save the White Race" circular since this item appears to be labeled as to its source, contains no reference to a Federal candidate in any election and as pointed out by Mr. FRANK GRAY, JR., appears to have no political connotations.

With respect to the information furnished by [redacted] [redacted] as related in this report, it is pointed out that considerable investigation has been conducted concerning the alleged distribution of political literature at International Harvester Plant. In report of SA JOSEPH A. CANALE dated 7/15/60 in this investigation interviews in this connection are recorded between Pages 65 and 78, and in report of SA JOSEPH A. CANALE dated 7/27/60 additional such interviews are recorded, including that of ALVIN H. SULLINGER, between Pages 92 and 95. b6 b7C

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: U.S. Attorney, Knoxville, Tenn.
U.S. Attorney, Little Rock, Ark.
U. S. Attorney, Memphis, Tennessee
U. S. Attorney, Nashville, Tennessee

Report of: SA JOSEPH A. CANALE Office: MEMPHIS
Date: August 17, 1960

File Number: Bureau File (56-2335)
Memphis File (56-82)

Title: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.; WILLIAM NATHAN MATHIS; WILLIAM ALLEN AUSBAN; BENJAMIN W. SHARPE; HOWARD K. TAYLOE; LELAND CONNALLY DERRICK; VERNEY W. SEEBODE; EDWARD N. PARKES, SR.; [redacted]; JOHN DOUGLAS; ALBERT HATCHETT; BARNEY O. LOFTON, SR.; [redacted] ARTHUR BRUCE COLE; NED DUPES; GLENN HATMAKER; LARIMORE BRITTON HOLLAND; JOSEPH EARL SCOTT; RODNEY BABER

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Character: ELECTION LAWS

Synopsis:

U. S. Department of Justice requested investigation concerning circulars described in "New York Times" issue, 7/24/60. FRANK GRAY, JR., former KEFAUVER Campaign Manager, furnished copy of circular entitled "Save the White Race," which contains cartoon of Negro male embracing white female, which identifies Christian Patriots, P. O. Box 147, Hinsdale, Ill., as place to secure extra copies. Mr. GRAY stated he did not furnish this circular with other literature previously furnished during this investigation because he did not feel it had any "political connotations." Dr. ROSS PRITCHARD, former KEFAUVER Campaign Manager, Shelby County, Tenn., stated he had not heard of any such circular being in existence. [redacted] volunteered that several months ago he observed ALVIN SULLINGER distributing packages containing a crude circular with rough drawing of Senator KEFAUVER and with text relating to the Senator's record. [redacted] observed SULLINGER with these circulars at International Harvester Plant in Memphis. Results of FBI Laboratory examination regarding additional specimens submitted by Memphis Office set forth.

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DETAILS:

By letter dated August 5, 1960, HAROLD R. TYLER, JR., Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, U. S. Department of Justice, furnished the Bureau a copy of an article appearing in the "New York Times" issue of July 24, 1960. Mr. TYLER's letter recited in part as follows:

"The article refers to certain campaign literature which, if it is unlabeled, would appear to violate 18 U. S. C. 612. Please obtain copies of the items referred to. In addition, if the material is not fully labeled please include these items as part of the full investigation presently being conducted in this matter."

The article in question is captioned, "Kefauver Fights to Keep His Seat."

The following is quoted, in part, from this article:

"Literature handed out this week in the wage of a Kefauver handshaking tour through La Follette urged residents: 'Ask yourself this question when you go to vote: Why was it our Tennessee Senator was the only U. S. Senator to vote against the bill to outlaw the Communist party in this country? Vote American and vote for Andrew (Tip) Taylor for U. S. Senator.'

"Racial Tones

"In Some cases the anti-Kefauver literature has been accompanied by a broadside entitled 'Save the White Race.' It said: 'The hell-inspired Jews seek to destroy the white race.' A cartoon of a Negro man kissing a white woman was captioned: 'The results of race mixing.'"

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Date August 16, 1960

FRED R. TRAVIS, Newspaper Correspondent for the "Chattanooga Times," a daily newspaper at Chattanooga, Tennessee, and a part-time correspondent for the "New York Times," whose offices are located in the Hermitage Hotel Annex Building, Capitol Boulevard, Nashville, Tennessee, advised that he did not write a news story appearing in the "New York Times" on July 24, 1960, which was date lined at Nashville on July 23, 1960, and which news story was captioned "Kefauver Fights to Keep His Seat."

Mr. TRAVIS said that this news story was probably written by CLAUDE SITTON, Southern Regional Correspondent for the "New York Times," whose office is located in the Atlanta Constitution Building, Atlanta, Georgia.

Mr. TRAVIS said that CLAUDE SITTON was in the Nashville area about July 23, 1960, and that he is the only other correspondent representing the "New York Times" in the Nashville area other than himself, TRAVIS.

Mr. TRAVIS said he had no information concerning literature which had been allegedly passed out during the August, 1960, Democratic Primary elections in Tennessee which was entitled "Save the White Race," and which also bore the caption "The Hell Inspired Jews Seek to Destroy the White Race."

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by SA's FRANCIS W. NORWOOD and EDWARD T. STEELE:mjh Date dictated 8/11/60

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Dr. ROSS PRITCHARD, Campaign Manager for Senator ESTES KEFAUVER during his recent campaign for renomination as U. S. Senator from Tennessee telephonically advised he has not seen and has no information concerning any political literature which might have been used during the campaign preceeding the August 4, 1960, election entitled "Save the White Race," or "The hell-inspired Jews seek to destroy the white race," or any cartoon of a Negro man and white woman kissing and captioned "The result of race mixing."

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Date 8-12-60

FRANK GRAY, JR., Mayor of Franklin, Tennessee, who was State Campaign Manager for Senator ESTES KEFAUVER during the August 4, 1960 Primary Election in Tennessee, advised that he was aware of the existence of a leaflet or circular entitled "Save the White Race" and which also bore a sub-caption "The Hell-Inspired Jews Seek to Destroy the White Race," and which depicts in cartoon form a Negro man embracing a white woman. Mr. GRAY said that the only copy of this circular that he has seen is one which he has in his files, and which was received by Senator ESTES KEFAUVER about May 10, 1960, from Mr. RHEA CRAWFORD, 615 Market Street, Knoxville, Tennessee, with the advice that the circular had been handed to Mr. CRAWFORD by one ARTHUR COLE of La Follette, Tennessee. Mr. GRAY said that the circular had been given to him by Senator KEFAUVER and had been included in the "smear" file at the KEFAUVER Headquarters at Nashville, Tennessee. He advised that he did not believe that the circular or leaflet had any political connotation but rather it was of the "hate" or "racist" type of literature which was probably distributed by members of some "hate" or "racist" group in the eastern part of Tennessee.

Mr. GRAY exhibited and furnished to Agents a leaflet or circular which is entitled "Save the White Race" and which bears the sub-caption "The Hell-Inspired Jews Seek to Destroy the White Race." A drawing in black and white appears in the center of the 9" X 6" circular which depicts a Negro male embracing a white female. Above the caption is "The Result of Race Mixing." In the lower right-hand corner of the circular appears the following printed message: "Jews are behind race-mixing and mongrelization. The trouble-making NAACP IS NOT recally a Negro organization; it is under the domination and control of foulmouthed, death-breathing JEWS. Jesus Christ exposed the Jews in all their naked infamy AND THEY MURDERED HIM. Now the Jews seek to enslave Christiandom and destroy the white race because they hate all Christians and because the pure white race is the pipeline of Christianity." To the left of the above quoted message appears a black and white drawing of an elderly bewhiskered man wearing what appears to be a skull cap. It is indicated on the bottom of the circular that extra copies may be obtained at the rate of fifty for $1.00 from Christian Patriots Crusade, Post Office Box 147, Hinsdale, Illinois.

Mr. GRAY further indicated that during the latter part of July, 1960, Mr. CLAUDE SITTON,, Atlanta, Georgia, who is the Southern

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Regional Correspondent of the New York Times, was at the KEFAUVER Campaign Headquarters at Nashville, at which time he, Mr. GRAY, showed Mr. SITTON samples of literature which were included in the "smear" file maintained at the KEFAUVER Headquarters. Included in this file was the above described circular or leaflet. Mr. GRAY indicated, however, that he had not meant to imply to Mr. SITTON that the above described circular was one which was being circulated for political purposes.

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Material such as the circular entitled "Save The White Race" has been circulated for several years by the Christian Patriots Crusade, P. O. Box 147, Hinsdale, Illinois. The Christian Patriots Crusade is a one man organization started in 1956 by FORREST ALLEN MANN, JR. The organization publishes a pamphlet known as the "Revere" which has been described as being violently Anti-Semitic and Anti-Negro.

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[redacted] residing [redacted] [redacted] Memphis, Tennessee, telephonically contacted the Memphis FBI Office on August 6, 1960, stating that he possessed information concerning the distribution of unlabeled political literature, with respect to the ESTES KEFAUVER - ANDREW T. TAYLOR campaign for the Democratic nomination for U. S. Senator from Tennessee which had occurred on August 4, 1960.

[redacted] was interviewed at his residence on this date in the presence of a close friend of his, [redacted] [redacted] a resident of [redacted] Memphis, Tennessee. [redacted] requested that [redacted] be present during this interview.

[redacted] pointed out that for several years he has been employed at the Memphis Works of the International Harvester Plant located in North Memphis, Tennessee. He pointed out that he is a member of Local 988 of the United Automobile Workers Union (AFL-CIO) and commented that for several years there has been considerable tension and strong feeling among Union members, part of whom are Negroes and part of whom are White. He explained that about a year ago an issue arose within the Union as to whether or not the toilet facilities of the Union Hall located on Harvester Lane and owned by the workers who are members of Local 988, should continue to be segregated racially. He explained that the International Union of the United Automobile Workers had held that racial segregation of the toilet facilities was illegal under the Constitution of the International Union.

Despite this, the members of the Local voted to continue racial segregation of toilet facilities, whereupon the International Union in retaliation placed Local 988 under a Union trusteeship. The members of the Union who hold ownership of the Union Hall, however, voted not to allow the International Union to have possession of this hall and as a result the union headquarters was moved to 136½ South Second Street.

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[redacted] pointed out that a strong faction of the white members of this Union are very strongly opposed to the International Union and are also strongly opposed to U. S. Senator ESTES KEFAUVER.

He explained that during the recent Democratic Primary contest between ANDREW T. TAYLOR and ESTES KEFAUVER, that the majority of the white employees at the International Harvester Plant strongly backed TAYLOR. He explained that the nucleus or core of the white membership was built around a strong states rights and pro-segregation group generally known as the Pro-Southerners, generally lead by JAMES MARSHALL, who is considered the president of the Pro-Southerners, who lives on Tutwiler Street, and by GARVIN CRAWFORD, who is the vice-president, and by ALVIN SULLINGER, the treasurer, and by BEN MINCEY, along with one KENNETH ACKLIN.

[redacted] pointed out that there may be other strong members of this faction but he does not know if they hold any official office. He described such strong members as [redacted] and an individual (FNU) YARBROUGH, whom he described as being a small white male with black hair who checks out tools and who he believes to be employed in Department #68 at International Harvester.

[redacted] pointed out that for several years the Pro-Southerner faction of the Union has put out considerable pro-segregation type literature in a mimeographed form. Most of this has been involved in the Union issue concerning efforts of the white members to keep members of the Negro race who are members of the Union from gaining a strong foothold in the Union. He stated that several months ago so much literature was being disseminated at the plant that the plant manager, a Mr. MC MILLAN put out strict orders to all plant employees saying that he would dismiss anyone immediately if he found that they were distributing any form of literature within the confines of the plant.

[redacted] stated that despite this, about a week or so after Mr. MC MILLAN's order, he saw ALVIN SULLINGER bring a large bundle of what appeared to be Mimeographed literature into the plant. He stated that he has heard

SULLINGER in the past state that he, SULLINGER, had a Mimeograph machine and had often stayed up until late at night Mimeographing various undescribed literature. SULLINGER never described to [redacted] the type of literature he was allegedly preparing and said nothing to indicate he was preparing anything of a political nature. He said his recollection was not entirely clear, but that about six weeks ago he saw SULLINGER with the large bundle of literature above mentioned. He believed SULLINGER gave KENNETH ACKLIN, a sheet metal worker in Department #67 at the plant, a smaller bundle of what he thought to be some of this literature, and also gave some to a millwright whose identity he did not know. He said he only got a brief glance at this material and could not furnish any detailed description thereof. He said he did not ever have one of the circulars in his possession. He believed this particular item was on different colored sheets of paper of the approximate size of 8" by 10". [redacted] said he believed these circulars were crude, "homemade" drawings of an individual, whom [redacted] felt was possibly meant to have been Senator KEFAUVER, and that there was some text material beneath this drawing which he felt was probably some information about KEFAUVER's record or some similar type data. [redacted] pointed out SULLINGER never said anything in [redacted]'s presence to the effect that SULLINGER had actually anything to do with the preparation or distribution of any anti-KEFAUVER or political-type literature, nor has [redacted] received information from anyone else to the effect that SULLINGER has prepared or distributed political-type literature. [redacted] said he has heard of SULLINGER preparing literature relating to union affairs and has been known to distribute such about the plant. However, he explained, he does not have any actual information to the effect that SULLINGER has had anything to do whatever with the preparation or distribution of political literature, labeled or otherwise, about the plant or elsewhere. He said he knew no one else who might have information about this.

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[redacted] stated that he had no other specific knowledge concerning the distribution of any unlabeled political literature in connection with the KEFAUVER-TAYLOR campaign. He did volunteer that [redacted] of [redacted] West Memphis, Arkansas, who he stated was reported in the Memphis newspapers as having possibly printed some of the unlabeled political literature used in the above campaign, is the daughter of one [redacted] He stated that [redacted] is dead, and that [redacted]

[redacted] first name not known, currently resides with [redacted] He stated that this [redacted] has [redacted] who resides in West Memphis, and who would be [redacted] also known as [redacted]

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He stated that [redacted] apparently does not get along well with [redacted] and that [redacted] recently told him that according to [redacted] had recently done some printing possibly related to the KEFAUVER campaign, which her mother did not approve of. He stated that [redacted] had not furnished him with any further details concerning this literature and that he, [redacted] had not seen any of the literature. He stated that [redacted]

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[redacted] a resident of [redacted] Memphis, Tennessee, was interviewed in the presence of [redacted] at the request of [redacted] and [redacted] at the residence of [redacted] located [redacted] Memphis.

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[redacted] explained that he works at the International Harvester Plant in Memphis, Tennessee, with [redacted] He stated that he is a member of Local 988 of the United Automobile Workers Union (AFL-CIO), which has a contract with the Internal Harvester Works. He stated that during recent years he has seen a considerable amount of literature disseminated at the International Harvester Works and in the vicinity of this plant but that to the best of his knowledge this literature has all related to Union activities and issues in which the Union was interested. He stated that some of this literature may have been political in nature but that he can not be certain of this. He stated that he has not specifically seen any unlabeled political literature printed, circulated or distributed by anyone during the campaign waged immediately prior to the August 4, 1960, Democratic primary in Tennessee concerning a race between U. S. Senator ESTES KEFAUVER and ANDREW T. TAYLOR for nomination for U. S. Senator on the Democratic ticket.

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On 8/6/60 at Memphis, Tennessee File # ME 56-82

by SAs JOSEPH A. CANALE & WILLIAM H. LAWRENCE:nmw Date dictated 8/9/60

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The following items of evidence were submitted to the FBI Laboratory for examination on July 28, 1960:

(1) One photograph negative of newspaper item entitled "The Kefauver Masquerade," secured from VERNEY SEEBODE.

(2) One photograph negative of poem, "The Saddest Story Ever Told," secured from VERNEY SEEBODE.

(3) One aluminum offset plate of a news article, "The Kefauver Masquerade," secured from VERNEY SEEBODE.

(4) One aluminum offset plate of poem, "The Saddest Story Ever Told," secured from VERNEY SEEBODE.

(5) One envelope addressed to Professor ENOCH MITCHELL, Memphis State University, postmarked Memphis, Tennessee, May 4, 1960, containing known handwriting of LELAND CONNALLY DERRICK, which envelope contains three copies of circular, "Estes is the Bestest..." with photo of Senator KEFAUVER shaking hand with two male Negroes.

(6) Envelope postmarked Memphis, Tennessee, July 3, 1960, addressed to Dr. ROY N. BAKER, President, Bethel College, McKenzie, Tennessee, which contained copies of the following items:

(a) Circular "Estes is the Bestest..."
(b) The newspaper article "The Kefauver Masquerade."
(c) Poem "The Saddest Story Ever Told."

(7) Envelope postmarked Memphis, Tennessee, June 19, 1960, addressed to Mrs. KING JAMISON, Jackson, Tennessee, containing copies of circulars, "Estes is the Bestest..." and "The Saddest Story Ever Told."

(8) Envelope postmarked Memphis, Tennessee, July 3, 1960, addressed to IKE PEEL, Dyersburg, Tennessee, containing circulars, "Estes is the Bestest..." and "Kefauver Masquerade" and the poem, "The Saddest Story Ever Told."

(9) Envelope postmarked Memphis, Tennessee, June 19, 1960, addressed to Mr. EDWIN DALSTROM, 375 South Front Street, Memphis, Tennessee, containing copies of "The Saddest Story Ever Told," "Estes is the Bestest..." and the pamphlet, "U. N. the New Cominform" which envelope and pamphlet contain the known handwriting of subject DERRICK.

(10) Postal card addressed to Mr. ED DALSTROM, Graham Paper Company, postmarked Chattanooga, Tennessee, June 26, 1960, bearing writing beginning, "Knowing you to be a patriot..." and ending, "...God help us."

(11) Postal card addressed to Mrs. WEBB COWAN, Ashland City, Tennessee, and postmarked Chattanooga, Tennessee, June 23, 1960, beginning and ending the same as Item 10 above.

(12) Postal card addressed to Mrs. KING JAMISON, Jackson, Tennessee, postmarked Chattanooga, Tennessee, June 23, 1960, beginning and ending the same as Items 10 and 11 above.

(13) Two-page photographic copy of circular captioned, "The Record and Statements of Senator Estes Kefauver" from HOWARD J. TAYLOE.

(14) One-page circular beginning, "The Record and Statements of Senator Estes Kefauver" secured from WILLIAM ALLEN AUSBAN.

(15) One copy of circular captioned, "The Record and Statements of Senator Estes Kefauver," secured from subject RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.

By communication dated August 4, 1960, the FBI Laboratory furnished the following results of examination regarding this material:

"Result of examination:

"It was concluded that the circulars captioned "The Kefauver Masquerade," included in items 6 and 8 (Q19 and Q21) were printed from a plate (or plates) made from the lithographic negative item 1 (K4).

"It was concluded that the plate, item 3 (K6) was made from the negative, item 1 (K4).

"It was concluded that the 'Masquerade' circulars were printed either from the plate, item 3 (K6), or from another plate made from the negative, item 1 (K4).

"It was concluded that the 'Saddest Story' circulars in items 6, 7, and 8 were printed either from the plate, item 4, and negative, item 2, or from other plates and/or negatives made from the same original type setting.

"No conclusion was reached as to whether the handwriting on the envelopes, items 6, 7 and 8 was or was not written by DERRICK, whose known handwriting appears on items 5 and 9, because of the lack of known specimens in wording sufficiently similar to that of the questioned handwriting.

"It was concluded that the typing reproduced in the upper portion of the circulars, Q2, etc., captioned 'ESTES IS THE BESTEST...' was prepared on IBM Electric typewriter, specimens of which is designated as K12.

"No conclusion was reached as to whether the typing reproduced on Q5 was or was not typed on Royal typewriter, K14, because of the lack of a sufficient number of significant typewriting defects.....

"The postal cards, items 10 through 12, Q23 through Q25 and Q8 and Q9, Q51 through Q57, submitted by Knoxville are all similar in content, size and style of type. However, there are not sufficient significant characteristics present to permit a definite determination as to whether the same typewriter was used to prepare all of these specimens.

"It was concluded that item 13 (Qc26) is not a photographic reproduction of item 14 (Q27). However, both may have been reproduced from the same master copy.

"It was concluded that item 13 and Q7, previously submitted, were not typed on the same typewriter.

"Q3 and item 15 (Q28) are both lithographic reproductions of the same original typed sheets, printers' type proofs and cartoon. Whether both were printed from the same plate cannot be determined."

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

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4 Verifax copies of circulars

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ASK YOURSELF
THIS QUESTION
WHEN YOU GO TO VOTE

...WHY WAS IT OUR TENNESSEE SENATOR WAS THE ONLY U. S. SENATOR TO VOTE AGAINST THE BILL TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THIS COUNTRY ?????

VOTE AMERICAN

AND VOTE FOR

ANDREW "TIP" TAYLOR

FOR

U.S. SENATOR

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FBI

Date: July 14, 1960

Transmit the following in PLAIN TEXT
(Type in plain text or code)

Via AIR TEL AIR MAIL
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

ATTN: FBI LABORATORY

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (56-82)

SUBJECT: UNLABELED POLITICAL LITERATURE
AGAINST KEFAUVER
ELECTION LAWS

(OO: Memphis)

Enclosed herewith are the following specimens:

(1) One sheet containing typing specimens from Underwood Electric Typewriter, model # 16, containing M6921 on bottom of frame.

(2) One page containing typing specimens from IBM Executive Typewriter #714494, which appears on the bottom of typewriter in ink.

(3) One page containing typing specimens from Royal Upright Typewriter with accounting-type long carriage. Further descriptive and identifying data not available.

(4) One copy of pamphlet entitled "Political Report;" July, 1960 issue.

(5) One double page printing on green paper, one side of which contains in upper right portion photo of Senator ESTES KEFAUVER with two male Negroes.

(6) One double page of printing, one side of which contains poem beneath caption "The Black Speckled Banner;" and the reverse side contains printing under caption "Morning Worship" on left side and "Evening Worship" on right side.

ENCL. (7) One copy of printing captioned "NAACP Membership Application."

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(8) One copy of pamphlet entitled "Human Tragedy." b6 b7C

In connection with investigation entitled "[redacted] ET AL, BOMBING MATTERS, Little Rock OO, Memphis file 157-70," two agents of the Memphis Office assisted agents of the Little Rock Office in a search of the residence of [redacted] West Memphis, Arkansas, on 7/12/60. This search was pursuant to a search warrant issued by USC, Little Rock, Arkansas, in connection with the bombing matter investigation. While participating in instant search for pertinent material in the bombing matter investigation described in instant search warrant, the Memphis Agents observed certain material in a room in the [redacted] residence apparently used for an "office", which material appeared significant in connection with captioned investigation. A Multilith set, model 1200, printing press bearing the numbers 289114 was observed. The typewriters described in connection with items 1,2, and 3, above were also observed in this "office." Various types of hate-type printed material was observed strewn about the floor and in stacks in this "office." At the conclusion of this search when it had been determined that no material was to be taken pursuant to the search warrant, the Memphis agents were able to secure the above described typing specimens (items 1,2, &3) and to also secure from the debris about the floor and the large piles of literature, the copies of the material above described in items 4 through 8.

All of this material was secured in complete secrecy and privacy, and the fact same was secured is entirely unknown to anyone but the agent personnel. The Memphis agents secured this material as a highly confidential technique for purpose of using same for intelligence and lead information regarding instant and other possibly related investigations. The facts relating to the securing of thismaterial will not be incorporated in investigation reports in this matter.

It is pointed out that [redacted] is a close associate and fellow Klan Member in the Association of Arkansas Klan, West Memphis Klavern, with BARNEY L. LOFTON, SR., and with ANCEL J. WEATHERINGTON, and a possible member thereof [redacted] all residences Memphis, Tennessee.

Investigation in captioned case indicates LOFTON, WEATHERINGTON, and [redacted] are logical suspects regarding the preparation and distribution of unlabeled political literature.

Attention is invited to the center page of "Political Report," (item 4) wherein there is included a photo of Senator ESTES KEFAUVER with two male Negroes. The masthead of "Political Report" contains on page 4, P.O. Box 3682, Memphis, Tennesseee, which investigation has disclosed is assigned to BARNEY L. LOFTON, SR., Memphis, Tennessee. Immediately behind the above described KEFAUVER photo, appears a full page ad for KEFAUVER's opponent, "TIP" TAYLOR, which ad sponsored by B. L. LOTFON, SR.

Item 5 above is apparently a galley or trial run and appears to be the same photo as the center page of July, 1960, issue of "Political Report." Item 5 is found to be identical to the center page of May, 1960, issue of "Political Report."

While conducting the search in question, the Memphis agents observed in [redacted]'s "office" an offset plate for the cover page of the April, 1960, issue of "Political Report." A "rough proof" make-up form of the April, 1960 issue of "Political Report" was also observed. b6 b7C

For purpose of providing only intelligence and lead information, FBI Laboratory is requested to compare the typing specimens described above in items 4 through 8 and with all material furnished the Memphis Office by the Bureau in connection with captioned investigation. The Laboratory is requested to furnish any pertinent available data regarding paper, printing methods, or other pertinent data which may be developed through the enclosed material. Additional material will be submitted in the near future by the Memphis Office for Laboratory comparison in connection with instant investigation.

Form

FBI LABORATORY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Memphis

Date: July 25, 1960

Re: UNLABELED POLITICAL LITERATURE
AGAINST KEFAUVER
ELECTION LAWS

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. 56-2335-57
Lab. No. D-541741 BS

REC-11

Examination requested by: FBI, Memphis

Reference: Airtel 7/14/60

Examination requested: Document

Remarks:

For investigative assistance, significant similarities were noted between the typing on K2 and the typing reproduced by lithography on the following:

Q2 in the wording "ESTES IS..." and "This picture was taken...."

Q10 caption on first page reading: "BEAUTIFUL BLUE LAKE...."
"Take Highway 70 to...."
caption on 3rd page reading: "Supporters of Tip Taylor hard at work-...."
notation on 10th page reading: "Political Ad Paid For By B. L. LOFTEN, SR. ...."

Q12 all

Q13 all

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For investigative assistance, some similarities were noted between the typing on K3 and the typing reproduced on Q5 reading: "Dear Comrade INTEGRATION IS ABOUT TO COME TO...."

It is suggested that known specimens in wording of all of the questioned pertinent typing be obtained for further comparisons.

Enclosures (2) (2 lab report)
1 - Knoxville (56-58) Enclosure (Lab report)
1 - Little Rock (56-92) Enclosure (Lab report)

Tolson
Belmont
Mohr
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Parsons
Rosen
Tamm
Trotter
W.C. Sullivan
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JML:lsw:sml

1 - Mr. J. Starrett - Room 5732 (Sent Direct)

REPORT
of the

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Memphis

Date: July 20, 1960
FBI File No. 56-[redacted]35
Lab. No. D-341741 DS

Re: UNLABELED POLITICAL LITERATURE
AGAINST KEFAUVER
ELECTION LAWS

Specimens received 7/18/60:

Q10 Pamphlet entitled "Political REPORT" dated 7/60

Q11 Two-page green pamphlet bearing picture of ESTES KEFAUVER and two male negroes

Q12 Sheet of paper bearing a light imprint of a printed poem entitled "THE BLACK SPECKLED BANNER" and on the reverse side a church bulletin

Q13 Copy of NAACP Membership Application

Q14 Pamphlet entitled "A HUMAN TRAGEDY"

K1 Sheet of paper containing specimens from Underwood Electric Typewriter, model #16

K2 Sheet of paper containing specimens from IBM Executive Electric Typewriter #714494

K3 Sheet of paper containing specimens from Royal Upright Typewriter

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the typewriter used to prepare K1 was not used to type any of the questioned typing on Q1 through Q9 and Q11 through Q14.

No conclusion was reached as to whether any of the typewriters used to prepare K1 through K3 was or was not used to prepare any of the other questioned typing on Q1 through Q14, because of the extremely limited nature of the known specimens and the lack of known specimens in wording comparable with the questioned typing.

All of the printed matter on Q10 through Q14 was done by lithography.

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JME:lsw:sml

No watermarks were found which would indicate the source of the various papers used in the printing of these documents.

Q10 through Q14 and K1 through K3 are retained.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Knoxville (56-68)

Date: August 2, 1960

Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., et al.
ELECTION LAWS

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

REC-41

FBI File No. 56-2335 -58
Lab. No. D-342259 BS

Examination requested by: Knoxville

Reference: Letter 7-20-60

Examination requested: Document

Remarks:

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Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
1 - Memphis (56-82) - Enclosure (Lab report)
1 - Mr. Startzell, Room 5732 (sent direct)
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REPORT
of the

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Knoxville

Date: August 2, 1960
FBI File No. 56-2335
Lab. No. D-342259 BS

Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., et al.
ELECTION LAWS

Specimens received 7-22-60:

Q15 Printed card bearing the heading "COMMUNISM IN THE PULPIT!"

Q16 Printed card bearing the heading "WHITE MAN AWAKEN!"

Q17 Printed card bearing the heading "ARE YOU STUPID?"

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the typewritten word, "South," on Q17 was not typed on any of the machines used to type the previous known and questioned typed material in this case, including the typing on Q2, Q3, Q5, and Q10 through Q14, which is not original typing, but is reproduced lithographically and the typing on Q7, which is a hectograph reproduction.

The typewritten word, "South," on Q17 was prepared on a typewriter which types 10 characters to the inch. The specimen is too limited to permit a determination of the make or model of typewriter used.

Specimens Q15 through Q17 were printed by "letterpress," that is, from raised type (or plates). The previous printed matter in this case was lithographed, which requires that type proofs be made from any type setting to be used. A planographic plate is then made photomechanically from the type proof, which can be combined with newspaper clippings, typewritten pages, etc., to be reproduced.

It was concluded that not any of the printers' type used in the preparation of the earlier printed matter in this case was used to print Q15 through Q17. However, a style of type very closely resembling the bold face headings on Q15 through Q17, appears in different sizes on the 11th page of Q10, at the top of the first column and on the 8th page of Q10 at the bottom of the first column.

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Rosen
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JME:kmm Q15 through Q17 are retained.
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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (56-2335)
Attention FBI Laboratory

DATE: 7/20/60

FROM : SAC, Knoxville (56-68)

342259

SUBJECT: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., Et Al
ELECTION LAWS

(Memphis OO)

Prior correspondence and laboratory reports in this case bore caption "Unlabeled Political Literature Against Senator Kefauver".

Enclosed to FBI Laboratory herewith, via registered mail, are three white printed cards captioned "Communism in the Pulpit"; "White Man Awaken", and "Are You Stupid?". The last card expresses opposition to Senator ESTES KEFAUVER's re-election to the U. S. Senate. The first two make no mention of politics. None of these cards are labeled as to source or origin.

According to Attorney WILLIAM C. WILSON, Knoxville, Tennessee, campaign manager for Senator KEFAUVER, who made these three cards available on 7/18/60, these cards were reportedly passed out and put into automobiles in the vicinity of the Fort Sanders Presbyterian Hospital, West Clinch Avenue, Knoxville. The three cards turned over by Mr. WILSON were given to him by Mr. TIM P. LAWSON, Vice-President, Camel Manufacturing Company, Knoxville, who reportedly found them in his car.

The FBI Laboratory is requested to compare the print style on the three cards enclosed with the printing on other unlabeled political literature previously submitted in this case; also, advise the make of typewriter used to type the word "South" on card #3 captioned "Are You Stupid?".

Results should be made known to Memphis and Knoxville. The original cards should be returned to Knoxville upon completion of the Laboratory's examinations. 56-2335-58

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2 - Bureau (Encls. 3) Registered Mail
2 - Memphis (56-82) (Encls. 12)
1 - Knoxville

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ENCLOSURE

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Photostats, one each, of above three cards are being enclosed herewith to Memphis, also enclosed to Memphis are 9 copies of FD-302 reflecting interview on 7/18/60 with Mr. WILLIAM C. WILSON.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

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Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.,
et al.
ELECTION LAWS

File # 56-2335-58
Lab. # D-342259 BS

Examination requested by: FBI, Knoxville (56-68) 7/20/60

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 7/22/60

Result of Examination:

Examination by: ~~Farrell~~

Specimens submitted for examination

Q15 Printed card bearing the heading "COMMUNISM IN THE PULPIT!"

Q16 Printed card bearing the heading "WHITE MAN AWAKEN!"

Q17 Printed card bearing the heading "ARE YOU STUPED?"

Return evidence..
cc Memphis

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ENCLOSURES TO BUREAU FROM KNOXVILLE

THREE WHITE PRINTED CARDS CAPTIONED:

(1) "COMMUNISM IN THE PULPIT"
(2) "WHITE MAN AWAKEN"
(3) "ARE YOU STUPID?"

Knoxville file 56-68
Bureau file 56-2335

56-2335-58

ENCLOSURE

COMMUNISM IN THE PULPIT!

An Investigation has been made concerning the self-proclaimed Christians who stand in the pulpit as Minisetrs of the Gospel while being members of the Ministerial Association and the round-table conference of Christians and Jews. Who ever heard of an Anti Christ walking into a Christian Church and taking over the service. These organizations are no different than the National Council of Churches — a Communist organization with Edwin T. Dahlberg, an Anti Christ as President. This skunk has 17 known listings of Communist affiliations. The names of these brain-washed Idiots in Knoxville are well known. If you start an investigation in your Church it may surprise you to learn your Pastor is a member and attends Communist meetings with the Godless heads of the infamous Unitarians. If you find your Pastor guilty don't you leave the Church — you run him off as an undesirable. This condition is being carried on in a large number of Churches in Knoxville. The Churches that refuse to turn their back on God Almigty to appease these skunks are ridiculed as being out of line. If preaching the truth as God intended puts a man out of line, thank God for the line.

56-2335 Q15 BS

ARE YOU STUPID?

Estes Kefauver considers you are. And does not hesitate to insult Intelligent people. He has voted against the ~~State of Tennessee~~ South on every issue and finally refused to cast the one necessary vote to put Supreme Court in their place. He is an Anti Christ stooge and a one world idiot. If you the people of Tennessee send him back for another 6-year destruction, then you will prove he is correct in considering you stupid!

56-2335 Q17 BS

WHITE MAN AWAKEN!

YOU parents who allow your daughters to attend these outings sponsored by the Y.W.C.A., had better investigate. This intended Christian association is infiltrated with Communist Anti Christ that take Negroes and Whites together on these outings so as to brain-wash them into the Communist conspiracy. And if you have any respect for your children you will not tolerate this rotten condition to exist.

56-2335 Q16 BS

56-2335 Q15 BS
FBI
LABORATORY

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56-2335 Q17 BS
FBI
LABORATORY

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Laboratory Transmittal Form
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Knoxville (56-68)

Date: August 4, 1960

Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., et al.; Unknown Subjects ELECTION LAWS

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John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. 56-2335 -59
Lab. No. D-342895 BS

Examination requested by: Knoxville

Reference: Letter 7/26/60

Examination requested: Document

Remarks:

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Enclosures (3) (Q29, 2 Lab report)
1 - Memphis Enclosure (Lab report)

1 - Mr. Startzell, Room 5732 (sent direct)

Tolson
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Parsons
Belmont
Callahan
DeLoach
Malone
McGuire
Rosen
Tamm
Trotter
W.C. Sullivan
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(1) E 7330 (5) (Photos) J. Startzell Rm 5732

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REPORT of the

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Knoxville

Date: August 4, 1960

FBI File No. 56-2335

Lab. No. D-342895 BS

Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR., et al.;
Unknown Subjects
ELECTION LAWS

Specimens received 8/1/60

Q29 Flier containing political campaign literature beginning "ASK YOURSELF THIS QUESTION...." and ending "...FOR U.S. SENATOR"

Result of examination:

Q29 was not identified with any of the material previously submitted in connection with this case.

Q29 is attached for Knoxville. Photographs are retained.

Tolson
Mohr
Parsons
Belmont
Callahan
DeLoach
Malone
McGuire
Rosen
Tamm
Trotter
W.C. Sullivan
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JME:LJM (5)

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10
5010-104-02

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (56-2335)
Atten: FBI Laboratory

DATE: 7/26/60

FROM : SAC, Knoxville (56-68)

342895

SUBJECT: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, Jr.; et al;
UNKNOWN SUBJECTS
ELECTION LAWS
MEMPHIS O.O.

Prior correspondence and Laboratory reports in this case bore the caption "UNLABELED POLITICAL LITERATURE AGAINST SENATOR KEFAUVER".

Enclosed herewith is the original of a piece of unlabeled political campaign literature which was passed out on the streets of LaFollette, Tennessee, on July 21, 1960, in opposition of the candidacy of Senator ESTES KEFAUVER of Tennessee for re-election to the U. S. Senate.

The enclosed item of literature was handed to [redacted] driver of a sound truck for Senator KEFAUVER by a man later identified as GLENN HATMAKER, taxi cab operator, LaFollette, Tennessee. The incident took place while Senator KEFAUVER and members of his party were engaged in a hand-shaking tour of LaFollette and the literature was handed to [redacted] approximately one-half block from where KEFAUVER was shaking hands at the time.

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This literature appears to be hand-printed, mimeographed on white paper and reads as follows:

"Ask yourself this question when you go to vote ....Why was it our Tennessee Senator was the only U. S. Senator to vote against the bill to outlaw the Communist Party in this country????? Vote American and vote for Andrew "Tip" Taylor for U. S. Senator"

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It is requested that the FBI Laboratory compare the enclosed piece of literature with other items previously submitted in connection with this investigation and that the results of the Laboratory's examination be made known to the Knoxville and Memphis Offices. Enclosures should be returned to Knoxville in order that it may be returned to Senator KEFAUVER who made it available to Agents of the Knoxville Office. 7/23/60.

2 - Bureau (Enc. 1)
1 - Memphis (Enc. 1)
1 - Knoxville

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Laboratory Transmittal Form
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LABORATORY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Knoxville (56-68)

Date: August 5, 1960

Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.
et al.
ELECTION LAWS

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

REC-41

FBI File No. 56-2335-60
Lab. No. D-342877 BS

Examination requested by: Knoxville

Reference: Letter 7/28/60

Examination requested: Document

Remarks:

Enclosures (8) (Q30 through Q33, K9, K10, 2 Lab report)

1 - Memphis Enclosure (Lab report)

Tolson
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REPORT of the FBI LABORATORY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Knoxville

Date: August 5, 1960
FBI File No. 56-2335
Lab. No. D-342877 BS

Re: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.
et al.
ELECTION LAWS

Specimens received 8/1/60

Q30 Three white cards containing printing bearing the heading "COMMUNISM IN THE PULPIT!"

Q31 Three white cards containing printing bearing the heading "WHITE MAN AWAKEN!"

Q32 Three white cards containing printing bearing the heading "COMMUNIST IN THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH!"

Q33 Four white cards containing printing bearing the heading "ARE YOU STUPID?"

K9 Slip of paper bearing specimens from Royal typewriter serial #HHE 13 5049711, in the office of ARTHUR B. COLE

K10 White business size envelope bearing the return address N. S. R. P. P.O. Box 2161 Knoxville 1, Tennessee

Result of examination:

It was concluded that specimens Q30, Q31 and Q33 were printed from the same printing plates as specimens Q15, Q16 and Q17, respectively. Q15 through Q17 were previously submitted.

It was concluded that the typewritten word "South" on specimen Q17 was not prepared on the typewriter used to prepare specimen K9.

The letters "N. S. R. P." on K10 are similar in style and size to the corresponding letters in the printed captions on Q30 through Q33. The same printing method (letterpress) was used in preparing K10 and Q30 through Q33, but it is not possible to determine if the same press was used.

Submitted evidence returned herewith. Photographs retained.

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10
5010-104-02

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (56-2335)
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

DATE: 7/28/60

FROM : SAC, KNOXVILLE (56-68)

SUBJECT: RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.;
ET AL;
ELECTION LAWS
(OO: MEMPHIS)

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K9K10

The Laboratory's attention is directed to prior correspondence and examinations conducted in this case, which was previously entitled "UNLABELED POLITICAL LITERATURE AGAINST SENATOR ESTES KEFAUVER; ELECTION LAWS". Specifically, reference is made to Knoxville letter to the Bureau dated 7/20/60 captioned "RICHARD JACKSON BURROW, JR.; ET AL; ELECTION LAWS", which transmitted to the FBI Laboratory three white, printed cards captioned "Communism In The Pulpit!", "White Man Awaken!", and "Are You Stupid?", the last of which expressed opposition to Senator KEFAUVER'S re-election, none of which cards were labeled as to the source or origin.

On 7/26/60, Mr. ARTHUR BRUCE COLE, LaFollette, Tennessee, Chairman of the National States Rights Party, admitted that he had distributed a number of the cards mentioned in the preceding paragraph at LaFollette, Tennessee, and had also distributed similarly printed cards "Communist In the Presbyterian Church!"; however, COLE claimed the above cards had been received by him anonymously through the mail and he had no information as to their source or origin.

On 7/27/60, Mr. NED DUPES, 808 North 3rd Avenue, Knoxville, Tennessee, who is Secretary of the National States Rights Party, admitted that he had distributed approximately 50 each of the same four cards, including the one entitled "Are You Stupid?" but DUPES claimed he had found these cards on his front porch in a package and he did not know their source or origin.

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COPY & SPECIMENS RETAINED IN LAB FOR LAB ACTION & REPORT

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ENCLOSURE ATTACHED

Lab report 8/5/60

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Both COLE and DUPES denied prior knowledge of Section 612, Title 18, U. S. Code, pertaining to the labeling of political literature. With regard to the card entitled "Are You Stupid?", it is noted that the words "State of Tennessee" have been scratched out and the word "South" written above them. This alteration appears on all cards which have come to the attention of this Office. Knoxville letter dated 7/20/60 transmitted to the FBI Laboratory samples of these cards and the card captioned "Are You Stupid?" contained the above described alteration but same was made by typewriter.

ARTHUR BRUCE COLE, above, made available three copies of each of the four kinds of cards which he had distributed and these are being enclosed herewith to the FBI Laboratory. Also enclosed is a sheet bearing a typing sample taken from ARTHUR BRUCE COLE'S Royal Typewriter, Serial Number HHE 135049711.

The Laboratory is requested to compare the enclosed cards with those previously submitted and compare the sample of typing from ARTHUR BRUCE COLE'S typewriter with the word "South" appearing on the card captioned "Are You Stupid?", which was submitted to the Laboratory as an enclosure to the Knoxville letter dated 7/20/60.

On the theory that the enclosed cards may have been printed for, or under the direction of, the officials of the National States Rights Party and in view of the fact that ARTHUR BRUCE COLE and NED DUPES are National Chairman and National Secretary respectively of this Party, the Laboratory is requested to compare the print on the enclosed cards, particularly the card captioned "Are You Stupid?", with any samples of stationery or printing known to have been distributed by the National States Rights Party.

For assistance in making this comparison, there is enclosed to the Laboratory herewith a white business size envelope, 9½" X 4½", bearing the return address "N. S. R. P., P. O. Box 2161, Knoxville 1, Tennessee" printed in the upper left corner. This envelope was voluntarily furnished to Agents by Mr. NED DUPES on 7/27/60 because it was noted during the investigation that the capital letters, "N. S. R. P." as printed on the enclosed envelope, appear to be the same style of type face as that used in printing the

caption of the enclosed cards admittedly distributed both by DUPES and COLE. Therefore, the Laboratory is requested to advise whether the initials "N. S. R. P." printed on the enclosed envelope of the National States Rights Party are the same type face as the letters constituting the captions of the enclosed cards and, if possible, whether all items were printed on the same press.

In the event the Department rules that the enclosed card captioned "Are You Stupid?" constitutes a prosecutable violation, it is contemplated investigation will be made to identify and locate the printing shop where this card was printed in order to determine who placed the order for the printing of the cards.

It is requested that all items be returned to the Knoxville Office and the results of the Laboratory's examination by furnished both to Knoxville and Memphis.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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